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GROVELAND TOWNSHIP RECORDS

OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN

1835 - 1864.

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DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Pontiac, Mich.

By

MAY ROCKWELL HOWLETT

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Notary Public, Oakland County, Mich.  
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Township records of Groveland, Oakland County,  
Michigan

1835- 1864

Town Five North Range Eight East

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Came into the inclosure of John Heusted of Groveland August  
last one deep red 2 year old steer with large high Horns two spots  
on his Belly white & white Brush on his tail. he wishes the owner  
to Come & pay Charges and have their own  
November the 17th 1840

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Taken up by Samuel C Munson of Groveland May 15<sup>th</sup> 1842 one  
Chesnut sorel horse Boald face left hind foot white half way up  
to his gambrel joint long tail mixt in with white hairs under the  
saddle shoo-d forehead supposed to be about 8 years oald the owner  
is requested to prove property pay charges and take him away

This 23 day of May in the year 1842

W<sup>m</sup> L Narrison } Town Clerk  
)

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State of Michigan ;  
County of Oakland ; To Thomas H Terwillagar & Bela Cogshall of  
the town of Groveland

You are in the name of the people of the  
State of Michigan Commanded and required to appraise a Stray horse  
in the possession of Samuel C Munson at his true cash value upon  
oath and annex the said value to this warrant

Given under my hand this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June 1842

Henry Hunt Justis of the peace

Sworn before me the 13 day of June 1842

Henry Hunt Justis of the peace

We the above Thomas H Terwillagar & Bela Cogshall being duly  
Sworn to appraise the above described horse and value the same  
at forty dollars

Thomas H Terwillagar  
Bela Cogshall

W<sup>m</sup> L Narrison Township Clerk

Recorded June 18<sup>th</sup> 1842



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Came in to the inclosure of Charles Henry on the 14 (?) day of November 1842 one yearlen Heiffer Buck Coler Slit in boath ears a little white on her hind feet the owner is requested to proove property pay Charges and take her away

Groveland November 14 th 1842

Charles Henry

Recorded November 21 st 1842

Wm L Narrin ) town Clerk

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Taken up by Benjamin Phelps of Groveland November 18 th 1842 one Cow about 4 years oald her collar is yellow a little white on her flanks and on her hind feet the owner is requested to prove property pay charges and take her away

Recorded November 28 th 1842

Wm L Narrin ) Clerk

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Came into the enclosure of Nathaniel Leonard about the first day of November one Cow Streaked white and pale Reddish about 5 years old with A Slit in the right ear

the owner of Said property is requested to prove property pay Charges and take her away

Recorded November the 6 th 1843

Alexander Downey Clerk

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1835

at the first Town meeting held at the House of Calvin Herricks agreeable to the act of the Legislative Council and Due Notice being given which act was approved March the 17, 1835 which meeting was held April the 6 present Phillip H. M Omber Justice of the peace within said Township

Voted that William Gage be Moderator of the meeting

Voted that Constant Southworth Clerk pro tem of said meeting

Wherefore said Moderator and Clerk were duly sworn to said offices

Voted that Commissioners of Common schools be elected by ballot

Voted that three Assessors be elected the ensuing year

Voted that one Constable be elected for the ensuing year and that he also be Collector

first balloting Nathan Herrick had the majority of votes for Supervisor

Second Ballotting Henry W Horton had the majority of Votes for Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

third Balloting Constance Southworth Wm Gage and Joseph Jennings jr had the Majority of votes for Assessors

fourth Balloting Lot Tobey , Wm P Husted and Vincent Runyen had the majority of Votes for Commissioners of Highway

fifth Balloting Henry W Horton and John Tobey had the majority of Votes for Directors of the Poor

sixth Balloting Constant Southworth, P.H.M.Omber and Henry W.Horton for Commissioners of Common schools had the unanimous vote

seventh Balloting Calvin Herrick had the unanimous vote for Constable and Collector

Voted that the Inspectors of Common schools be elected by yays and nays, therefore Alex Galloway, Henry W. Horton, Calvin Herrick, Constant Southworth and P.H.M Omber were unanimously elected

Overseers of Highways  
Jehiel Gardner for District 5

Constant Southworth for District 4

Voted that the Overseers of Highways be also fenceviewers

the rest of the Overseers of Highway were put in at a special Town meeting

Voted by small majority that the next annual Town meeting be held at the new dwelling House of Calvin Herricks

I Certify that the persons named above are duly elected to the offices above named April 6 1835

William Gage Nod  
Constant Southworth

Clerk pro tem

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April 30 Doings of the Road Commissioners  
the Town at a meeting of the Road Commissioners  
Divided into of said Town April 30 1835  
Road Districts the following Road Districts were established and  
ordered to be recorded

District No 1  
beginning at the North west corner of the Town and  
running south east to the south line of the Town and  
including the Cross Road to the Town line west



Groveland Township records ( cont )

District No 2

Beginning at the North line of the Town on the Turnpike and running south to center of section seven extending east so as to take in the Township line Road to the North line of the Town line and west to include all roads to District No one

District No 3

Beginning at the Center of section seven and running south to the center of section nineteen and extending east to the east line of section eighteen in Township 5 and Range 7 and west to the west line of section twelve in Township five and Range seven

District No 4

Beginning at the Center of section nineteen and running south to the south line of the Town and --- east and west one mile from the United States Road

District No 5

Beginning at the Township line Road at or near the Center of the south half of section six and running an easterly course to the east line of Section five

At a special Town meeting for the Purpose of electing three Overseers of highways for Road Districts No one, two and three for said Town Notice being duly given the Law Directs

present Henry W. Horton Town Clerk

Voted that Alex Galloway be moderator of this meeting  
Voted that the said Overseers put in by yays and nays therefore

Wm Gage was unanimously elected Overseer of Road District No 1, ~~Alex~~ Galloway for District No 2 and John Tobey for District No 3

We certify that the Above named are duly elected to the Offices above named

Henry W. Horton Clerk  
Alx Galloway Mod

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Oakland County

We whose names are hereunto subscribed do hereby testify that a Town meeting was held at the House of Calvin Herricks in the Town of Groveland on the sixth day of Oct one thousand eight hundred and thirty five pursuant to Law

The following persons were voted for several Offices set oposite their respective names

Frances Darrow had for the Office of Register of Deeds sixteen Votes

James A. Weeks had for the office of County Treasurer fourteen Votes

S. Sherwood had for the same Office two Votes

Fierce Patrick had for the Ofice of Coroner fourteen Votes



Groveland Township records ( cont )

W.Hunter had for the same Office two Votes

Given under our hands at Groveland in the said County  
this the sixth day of April in the Year of our Lord one thousand  
eight Hundred and thirty five

William Gage moderator  
Constant Southworth Clerk  
F.H.M' Omber Justice of  
the peace

-----  
A public Highway laid out by the Commissioners of  
said Town and ordered to be recorded

beginning at a point in the Center of the United  
States Road where a line crosses between Sections one and -----  
running thence west on said line 133 chains and 90 links thence  
North 67 degrees west 32 Chains thence west 87 chains thence south  
59 degrees west 45 chains and 80 Links to the Northeast Corner of  
section 8 thence west 41 chains to the Center of a public Highway  
leading from Fullers to -----

June the 2 1835

by E. Parshall  
surveyor

Lot Tobey  
William P Heusted

marriage  
license  
granted

I do hereby Certify that Thomas Husted personally  
appeared took and subscribed before me an oath  
touching the legality of his Contemplated Marriage  
with Mrs Lenora Proctor and License was therefore  
Granted to the said thomas

at Groveland this the  
2 day of July 1835

Henry W Horton  
Town Clerk

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Election of Groveland for 1835  
Territory of Michigan )  
Oakland County )

At a Board of Election held at the House of Calvin  
herrick in and for the Town of Groveland in the County and Territory  
aforesaid being the place of holding the last annual Town meeting on  
the fifth and sixth day of Oct instant present at said board or  
inspectors of Election Nathan Herrick Henry W Horton Constant South-  
worth and Joseph Jennings jun Assessors who were severally duly  
qualified as inspectors of Election .Joseph Jennings jun and Alex  
Galloway were Elected qualified as Clerk of said board

the following persons were voted for by ballot  
according to Law for the severally Offices set opposite their re-



Groveland Township records - ( cont )

spective names

Stevens T Mason had thirteen for Governor  
John Biddle had for the same office Eleven Votes  
Edward Munda had thirteen Votes for Lieutenant Governor  
James Kingsley had for the same office Eleven Votes  
Isaac E Carey had thirteen votes for representative  
to Congress

Senators

John Stackston had twenty two votes for Senator  
Charles C Hascall had for the same office eleven votes  
Ebenezer Raynale ten votes for the same office  
John Clark had twenty two votes for the same office  
Randolph Manning had twelve votes for the same office  
Harvey Parke had eleven votes for the same office

For  
Representa-  
tives

Orion D Richardson had four votes for representative  
in the State Legislature  
Johnson Wiles had for the same office four votes  
Isaac I Voorheis had four votes for the same office  
George Brownell had four votes for the same office  
John Ellinwood had six votes for the same office  
Hiram Higley had for the same office four votes  
Frederick A Sprague had nineteen Votes for the same  
office  
Sideon C Whittemore had Eighteen votes for the same  
office  
Steven V.R.Trowbridge had Nineteen votes for the same  
office  
Phillip H.M' Omber had nineteen Votes for the same  
office  
William Yerkes had for the same office twenty Votes  
Steven Reeves had twenty Votes for the same office

Constitution Voted for

there were sixteen votes with the word yes on And  
there were six votes with the word no on

All of which we hereby Certify under our  
hands at Groveland in the County and Town aforesaid  
this the sixth day of Oct A.D. 1835



Groveland Township records ( cont )

( signed )

Nathan Herrick      ) Justices  
Henry W Horton    ) of  
Joseph Jennings jun) the  
Constant Southworth) town

the following highways were laid out by the Commissioners and ordered to be recorded Oct 20 1835

Survey of a public highway Beginning at the Center of the United States Road where it line Crosses it Between William P Lusted farm and the Roberts farm thence south  $87\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 16 chains to stake thence North 75 degrees west 15 chains to a stake North 68 degrees west 16 chains to a stake thence North 79 degrees west 8 chains and 33 links

Survey of A public Highway Beginning at the Center of the United States Road on the South line of section 34 thence on said line North  $86\frac{1}{2}$  degrees East 72 chains and 75 links to the section corner thence North  $72\frac{1}{2}$  degrees East 24 chains to a stake thence North 29 degrees east 50 chains thence North  $8\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 18 chains and 26 links thence North 8 degrees East 13 chains and twenty 25 link to a stake thence North  $86\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 49 chains to the quarter post Between 25 and 36

Survey of a public Highway Beginning at the section Corner between 4 and 5 thence south  $3\frac{3}{4}$  degrees East 120 chains to a quarter post Between 8 and 9 thence south  $31\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 12 chains to a post thence south  $3\frac{1}{2}$  west x 11 chains to a post thence south  $30\frac{3}{4}$  degrees west 12 chains to the section line thence  $3\frac{3}{4}$  degrees east 40 chains to a post thence south 49 degrees west 20 chains to a post thence south 2 degrees west 17 chains to a post thence south  $39\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 52 chains to a stake thence south 45 degrees west 14 chains to a post thence south 64 degrees west 7 chains to a post thence west 7 chains to a post thence south 48 degrees west 3 chains and fourteen links to a quarter post thence south --- ( blurred ) east 31 chains to the center of the United States Road

Nov 1 1835

At Testy      ) I had  
W P Lusted    ) Commissioners

Stray Cow Came to the plantation of the subscriber about the 20 of Nov 1835 a brown Cow four or five years old white face white flanks lower parts of her foot and tail white the owner is requested to prove property pay charges and take her away recorded Dec 4 1835

Dated Groveland the 1 of Dec 1835

R A Hood

Public Highway Discontinued

The Commissioners of the Town of Groveland has Discontinued the following Road on the Application of twelve freeholders and ordered the same to be recorded

Beginning in the Center of the United States Road at a point where



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Groveland Township records ( cont )

the south line of Nathan Herricks farm Crosses said Road thence south 87 degrees west on said line till it terminates in the Center of the Road that leads from the old farm of A. Fuller to

Groveland March the 11 1836

Lot Tobey      ) Road  
Wm P Husted    ) Commissioners

the amount Audited by the Town Board against Groveland for 1835 twenty dollars and twelve and half cents

Nathan Herrick Supervisor  
Phillip H Mc Omber  
Justice of the  
peace  
Henry H Horton Town Clerk

Dated Oct 29 1835

Oakland County      )  
Town of Groveland    )

At a Town Meeting held at the House of Calvin Herrick in said Town on the 4 of April 1836 according to adjournment due Notice being given as the Law directs

present Henry H Horton Town Clerk  
F.H.Mc Omber Justice of Peace

Constant Southworth appointed Moderator of said meeting

Clerk and Moderator were duly sworn to the offices above named first Ballotting Daniel F John for supervisor had the majority of votes

second Ballotting Henry H Horton had the majority of votes for Town Clerk

Voted that we have three Assessors for the Current Year

third Ballotting Joseph Jennings Jr Edwin Edwards and Constant Southworth had the Majority of votes for Assessors

fourth Ballotting William P Husted John Tobey and Joseph Jennings had the Majority of Votes for Road Commissioners

fifth Ballotting John Hadley and Lot Toby had the Majority of Votes of Directors of the Poor

sixth Ballotting Joseph Hadley had the Majority of Votes for --

Voted that wee have two Cols. for the Current year

Joseph Hadley and Calvin Herrick had the Unanimous Votes

eight Ballotting Constant Southworth Phillip H Mc Omber Daniel F Johnson and William Gage had the Majority of Votes for Magistrates

Voted that the Inspectors of Common schools be Chosen by the Decision of the house

Henry H Horton Constant Southworth John Hadley Joseph Jennings jr and Phillip H Mc Omber were therefore Elected as inspectors



Groveland Township records ( cont )

of Common Schools

Voted that the Overseers of Highways be put in by ayes & nays

Alonzo R Rood Dist. No one

Andrew Slack Dist No two

John Hadley Dist No three

Constant Southworth Dist No four

Allen Campbell Dist No five

therefore were elected

Voted that the Overseers of highways be also fence viewers for the ensuing Year

Voted that Boars and bulls be free Commonns

Voted that stud Horses shall not be free Commonns for the ensuing year

Voted that there shall be no tax raised for to procure sealed weights and Measures for the use of the Town

Voted Unanimously that we have but one ----- for the Current year

Voted that Joseph Hadley be ----- for the ensuing Year

Voted by large Majority that the next Annual Town Meeting be held at the new dwelling House of Lot Tobey in said Town

Voted that this Meeting now adjourn

We Certify that the above named were duly Elected and also to the Above preseedings

Henry W. Horton Town Clerk

P H M' Omber Justice of peace

Voted on motion of Nathan Herrick that there be four Justices of the Town elected and that all that has been in six months shall be Voters and were duly elected as above and there term of Office was determined as follows

Phillip H Mc drew for one year

William Gage for 2 Years

Constant Southworth for three Years

Daniel F Johnson for four Years

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Stray Calf

Came into the enclosure of the subscriber about the first of Dec instant a dark brindle Calf about seven months old no Artificial Mark

John Hadley

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Recorded Dec 8 1836



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Dec 12 1836

Center

Survey of A public Highway, Commencing at a black oak tree in the of the shiawassee Road at the Runyen House and running South 43 degrees east 57 Chains to a post thence south 37 degrees east 11 chains to a post thence South 70 degrees east 7 Chains to a post South 45 degrees east 25 Chains to a post thence south 78 degrees east 9 chains to a post thence south 73 degrees east 26 chains to a post thence South 81 $\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 3 chains to a post thence South 75 degrees West 7 chains to a post thence South 85 degrees east 37 chains to the Center of said shiawasee road near John Phelps

James Y Horton Surveyor

Joseph Jennings, jr )	
John Tobey )	Henry W Horton
William P Husted )	Town Clerk
Commissioners of )	
Highway )	

the Commissioners of the Town of Groveland have laid out the following road four rods wide and Ordered the same recorded

Commencing at a post standing in the North line of the shiawassee road and on the Town line between east and west Groveland and between section 31 & 36 North 30 degrees east 3 rods and 12 linl's from a white Oak tree with three hacks thence Nothh 45 rods and three links to a post on the line thence North 65 degrees east 132 rods to a post thence North 11 degrees and 30 minits east 42 rods to a post thence North 25 degrees east 16 rods to a post thence North 33 degrees east 110 rods and 10 links to a post thence South 82 $\frac{1}{2}$  degrees and 30 minits 132 rods to a post North 10 degrees and 30 minits east 10 rods from the section Corners of section 29 - 30 - 31 and 32 thence North 85 degrees east 62 chains to a post thence South 68 degrees east 20 rods to a post standing on the section line thence east 79 rods to the quarter stake of section 32 thence east 80 rods to a stake on the setiron line thence North 57 degrees east 11 chains and 3 links to a stake standing on the south west line of the Detroit and Saginaw Turnpike and North 13 $\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east from the North west Corner of Albordss(?) Crosses log house

Samuel Jones Surveyor

William P Husted )	
John Tobey )	Road Commrs

Dec 17 1836

Henry W Horton Town Clerk



Groveland Township records (cont )

Oakland County }  
Town of Groveland)

At an Election held in said Town of Groveland and  
Oakland County on the 7 and 8 of Nov 1836 the following persons receiv  
-ed the number of Votes for the several Offices Set to their names

for Electors of President and Vice President

Wolcot Lawrence had twenty one Votes

William Draper had twenty one Votes

William H Welsh had twenty one Votes

David C M' Kinstry had fifteen Votes

Daniel Leroy had fifteen Votes

William Morey had fifteen Votes

for Senators

Jacob Summers had thirty five Votes

William Draper had twenty one Votes

Thomas J Drake had twenty one Votes

Randolph Manning had fourteen Votes

John Clark had fourteen Votes

for Representatives

Pitts Phillips had twenty one Votes

George W Wisner had twenty one Votes

William Burbanks had twenty one Votes

Haran Haskins had twenty one Votes

Henry K foot had twenty one Votes

Orion D Richardson had thirteen Votes

Hiram Higley had thirteen Votes

John Elenwood had thirteen Votes

Elijah T Cook had thirteen Votes

Jonathan Chase had thirteen Votes



Groveland Township records ( cont )

{ In a J. C. Nichols & Son's binder }

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Isaac I Voorheis had thirteen Votes

for Associate Judges

Samuel Saterlee had twenty one Votes

David Paddock had twenty one Votes

Hiram Smith fifteen Votes

Amasa Bagley had fifteen Votes

for Judge of Probate

Steven Reves had twenty one Votes

James B Hunt ha fifteen Votes

for Sheriff

Caleb Beckman had twenty one Votes

William S Henderson had fifteen Votes

for Registers of Deeds

Morgan L Drake hd twenty four Votes

Zaba Swan had twelve Votes

for County Clerk

Charles Draper had twenty one Votes

John T Raynor had fifteen Votes

for County Treasurer

John P Leroy had twenty one Votes

Schuyler Hodges had fifteen Vote

for County Surveyor

John Southard had seventeen Votes

Harvey Parkehad seventeen Votes



Groveland Township records ( cont )

for Coronors

Leonard Weed had twenty one Votes at the election held in the town of Groveland on the 31 of Dec 1836

Orange foot had twenty one votes

William Terry had fifteen Votes

Friend Belden Had fifteen Votes

We certify that the Above is a true Statement of the Votes taken at the Election above named

Daniel F Johnson      )      inspectors of  
                                )      Election  
Henry W Horton      )  
                                )  
Joseph Jennings Jr      )

Edwin Edmond      )  
                                )      clerks  
Thomas Hadley      )

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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County of Oakland )  
                                )  
Town of Groveland )

I do hereby Certify that David W Lawrence persons  
ally appeared before me took and subscribed to an Oath touching  
the Legality of his Contemplated Marriage with Miss Ann M Jackson

this 25 day of Dec 1836

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

-----  
Stray Calf or Yearling

Came into the Inclosure of the subscriber on or about the first  
of Dec instant a red heiffer with a notch in the under side of  
the Left ear supposed to be one year old last spring

Groveland Dec 29 1836

Calvin Herrick

Henry W Horton Town Clerk



Township Records of Groveland ( cont )

At a special Town Meeting held at the House of Calvin Herricks in the Town of Groveland on the 31 Of Dec 1836 for the purpose of electing one or more Justice of the peace to fill vacancies as those elected at the last annual Town meeting neglected to be sworn into Office therefore the Clerk was requested to give notice for a special Town meeting

Present Henry W Horton Town Clerk and Asahel H Beach appointed Moderator Moderator and Clerk were duly sworn - the Meeting being Called to Order Voted without a dissenting Vote that there shall be four Elected

first Ballotting

Jonathan T Allen

Henry W Horton

Daniel F Johnson

Lewis North had the Majority for said Justices of the Pease

We Certify to the Above Votes also that the persons above named were duly Elected

Given under our hands at Groveland this 31 day of Dec 1836

Asahel H Beach Moderator

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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I hereby Certify that James Murfee personaly Came before me this 29 of January ---- and subscribed an oath touching the Legality of his Contemplated Marriag with Miss Harriet Steward and License was duly Granted as the Law Directs Dated at Groveland this 29 day of Jan 1837

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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Survey of a Public Highway Commencing on the east line of section one at the quarter post thence due west on said line 50 50/100 chains to the Center of the United States Road in Township No 5 Range No 7 east

Recorded Feb 6 1837

Joseph Jennings Jr

William P Husted

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Road Commissioners

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Survey of A public Highway laid out by the Associate Judges in and for the County of Oakland from the Saginaw Road near Nathan Herricks to Grand Blank Lake

Commencing at the point on the United States Saganaw road where the Center line of Section one is Township 5 north and Range 7 east Crossessaid road Running thence west on the south line of said Herricks Land 23½ Chains to the quarter post of between Sections 1 & 2 thence west on the Center line of Sections 2, 3, 4 & 5 to the section post on the west side of section 6 intersecting the road



Township Records of Groveland ( cont )

that leads from A Fullers to Wm Gages at Grand Blank Lake - Done by  
order of the Associate Judges for the County of Oakland

Groveland the 28 of March 1837

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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----- ( illegible ) 1837 Done on the following sections viz  
the Justices elected at the Special Town Meeting their time of ---  
Was determined in the following Manner Daniel F Johnson for 1 year  
Lewis North drew for two years Henry W Horton for three years Jonathan T Allen for four years Lewis North was not sworn into office

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Public Highway Discontinued

the Commissioners of the Town of Groveland have discontinued the  
following Road and Ordered the Same to be recorded on the application  
of twelve Freeholders

Survey of A public Highway Commencing in the Cehter of the Shiawasee Road at a black Oak near the Runyen House and running thence South 37 degrees east 11 chains to a post thence South 43 degrees east 57 chains to a post thence South 37 degrees east 11 chains to a post thence South 70 degrees 7 chains to a post thence South 45 degree east 25 chains to a post thence South 78 degrees east 9 chains to a post thence south 73 degrees east 26 chains to a post thence 75 degrees west 7 chains to a post thence south 85 degrees east 37 chains to the center of the Shiawasee road near John Phipps

Groveland March 28 1837

William P Husted

John Tobey

Done on the Application of Twelve Freeholders being duly sworn

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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Doing of the Road Commissioners of the Town of Groveland  
Road Dist No 6

Commencing on the east line of Section 5 Township 5 north Range 8  
and include all the roads on the following Sections 1,2,3,4,7,10,11  
& and twelve - R 8

Road Dist No 7

to include the following Sections and all Roads on the same viz  
30 & 31 - R8

Road Dist No 8

to include the following Sections and all roads on the same Viz  
22,23,24,25,26,27,34,35,& 36 R 8

Road Dist No 9

Beginning at a point on the United States where the South line of  
section 1 crosses to include the road that starts from that point and  
terminates in the center of the Shiawasee road on the road that Leads



Township records of Groveland ( cont )

from the A. Fuller place to William Gages at Grand Blanc Lake Range seven east

Road Dist No 10  
to include the following parts of Sections viz South half of sections 7 & 8 and north half of sections 17 & 17 in Township 5 north Range 8 e east

Road Dist No 11 to include all roads on the following sections viz 25, 26, 27, 34, 35, & 36 in Township 5 Range 8 east

Road Dist No 12 to include all roads on the following Sections 13, 14, 1 16, 21, 22, 23 & 24 in Township 5 North Range 8 east

Road Dist No 13 to include the following Roads beginning on the Shiawasee Road near the Northeast Corner of Section 18 thence east on said line as near as Maybe till it terminates on the Town line a little south of the Center of section seven in Township 5 north Range 8 east but said road is on Township 5 north and Range 7 east

Joseph Jennings )  
John Tobey ) Road  
                 ) Commissioners

Done by order of the Commissioners Groveland March 24 1837

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

March 24 1838

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Survey of A public Highway

Commencing in the Center of the Shiawasee road thence South  $86\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west  $14\frac{1}{2}$  to the section Corners of - 39 - 16 & 17 thence South  $86\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west  $123\frac{1}{2}$  chains thence South  $53\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west  $24\frac{1}{2}$  thence south  $82\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 3 chains thence south  $25\frac{1}{2}$  West  $8\frac{1}{2}$  chains thence south  $86\frac{1}{2}$  west 30 chains and 35 links to the sections 11 & 12, 13 & 14 Township 5 north Range seven east thence south  $86\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 20 cha: thence south  $84\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 21 chains thence south  $68$  degrees west 12 to the Center of the Saganaw turnpike in Township five north and Range eight east

Done by Order of the Road Commissioners

James G Horton Surveyor

William P Husted )  
                 ) Road  
Joseph Jennings jr ) Commissioners

Groveland March 24, 1838 Henry W Horton Town Clerk



Township Records of Groveland ( cont )

County of Oakland  
Town of Groveland

At the Annual Town meeting held at the House of the Widdow Tobeys in said Town on the 2 day of April 1837 Due Notice being given Also according to adjournment

Present Henry W Horton Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk Dabiel F Johnson and Jonathan I Allen , justices of peace Burnet Scott appointed Moderator and Michael E Keating appointed assistant Clerk

Wherefore Said inspectors and Clerks were duly Sworn

First Balloting Eldridge G Knowlton had the Majority of Votes for Supervisor

Second Balloting Henry W Horton had the Majority of Votes for Town Clerk

third Balloting Daniel F Johnson and Henry Hunt had for the Justices of the peace Majority of Votes

Voted that there shall be four Assessors elected for the ensuing year

fourth Balloting Harvey Hudge Joseph Jennings Jr Lewis North and Filer Frost ----(?) for Assessors

fifth Balloting Derius Thayre Derius Austin and Constant Southworth had the Majority of for the Road Commissioners

Sixth Balloting John Hadley and Burnet Scott Had the Majority for Directors of the Poor

Seventh Balloting Joseph Hadley had the Majority of Votes for Collector

Eight Balloting Daniel F Johnson Edwin Edwards and Daniel B North had the majority of Votes for School Inspectors

Voted that there Shall be three Constables elected for the current year

Voted that the Const be put in by the a-----(?) hand (?) therefore Joseph Hadley Alford Richmond and Thomas Hadley were elected Constables.

Voted that the Overseers of Highway be put in by the uplifted hand

Voted that there be \$25.00 raised for the support of the poor in said town

Voted that there be \$3.00 per head bounty on wolves for all that shall be Caught and killed in said Town for the Current year



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Voted that stud horses shall not be free Commoners for the Current year in Town

Voted that Bulls shall Be free Commoners

Voted that rams shall be free Commoner except from the first day of August until the first day of December

Voted that each road Dist shall put in its own Overseers therefore the following persons were elected to the road Dist set to these names

Road Dist No 1 - Hanible Vickery Overseer

Road Dist No 2 - Burnet Scott Overseer

Road Dist No 3 - Ephraim Husted Overseer

Road Dist No 4 - Alburtus Cropsey (?) Overseer

Road Dist No 5 - Henry Husted Overseer

Road Dist No 6 - James Henry Overseer

Road Dist No 7 - John Phipps Overseer

Road Dist No 8 - John Tooley Overseer

Road Dist No 9 - Thomas Fagan Overseer

Road Dist No 10 - Henry W Horton Overseer

Road Dist No 11 - William Richmond Overseer

Road Dist No 12 - vacant

Road Dist No 13 - Derius Austin Overseer

Voted by the Majority of five that the next Annual Meeting be held at the new dwelling house of John Phipps in Said Town

Voted by large Majority that this Town Meeting be now adjourned

We Certify that the Persons above named have received the greatest number of Votes for the offices set to these names and are therefore duly elected also that the above By Laws and regulations

Given under our hands at Groveland this 3 day of April 1837

Burnet Scott Moderator

Daniel F Johnson )  
Justices  
Jonathan I Allen ) of the  
Peace  
Henry W Horton ) Groveland  
Henry W Horton Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Daniel F Johnson and Henry Hunt the persons elected Justices of the Peace were notified and met according to Law and their time Service was determined as follows

Daniel F Johnson drew for one Year  
Henry Hunt for ( illegible ) Years

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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Survey of a public Highway

Commencing on the Town line and at the Section Common Between 34 & 35 thence north  $3\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 80 chains to the North West Corner of section 35 thence North  $86\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 80 chains to the north east Corner of Section 35 in Town 5 north Range 8 west

Constant Southworth  
Derius Thayre

Groveland June 2 1837

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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Survey of a public Highway Commencing at the  $\frac{1}{4}$  post on the west Side of Section 24 thence South  $3\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east two hundred Chains to the South line of the Town making in all two miles and a half in Town 5 north Range 8 east

Constant Southworth ) Road  
Derius Thayre ) Commission  
-ers

Groveland June 2 1837

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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I hereby Certify that Luther Fields personally Came before Took and Subscribed to an Oath touching the Legality of his Contemplated Marriage to Miss Polly Shick and Marriage License was given as the Law directs

Groveland June 19 th 1837

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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Survey of a public Highway

In Town 5 north R 7 east Commencing in the Center of the Shiawassee road seven chains South of the Section Corners of 22, 23, 26 & 27 thence South 49 degrees east 63,  $61\frac{1}{2}$  links to a black oak tree 10 inches in diameter thence South  $43\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 29, 12 links to a post then south  $36\frac{3}{4}$  degrees east 7 chains and 70 link to a stake thence South 46 degrees east 25 chains 32 links to a post thence south 55 degrees east 5 chains 48 links to a stake thence South 10 degrees east 13. 76 to a stake thence South 40 degrees east 23.50 to a stake thence north 85 degrees east 40.00 to a stake thence South 84 degrees east 18.64 to the Center of the said Shiawassee road near John Phipp

Derius Austin }  
Derius Thavre } road  
Commissioners

25 of June 1837 Henry W. Horton  
Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Survey of a public Highway

Commencing at the quarter post on the South side of Section 8 thence South  $86\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 11.00 chains thence South  $47\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 15 chains and fifty links thence south  $83\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 20 chains thence south  $49\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 24 chains and 62 links to the section line on the south of section 8 thence north  $86\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 61 chains and 47 links thence south  $3\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west on the line Between Averv (?) Worth Alex Murwin 80 chains to the section on the north ----- of section 9 in Town five north Range 8 west

Henry W Horton  
Town Clerk

June 29 1837

Derius Austin

-----(?) Thayre

Survey of A public Highway

Commencing at the sections of 2,3,10 & 11 thence South  $3\frac{1}{2}$  east 11 chains thence South  $42\frac{1}{2}$  degrees west 25 chains and 50 links thence South  $3\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 24 chains and 72 links to the Center of a public Highway leading from Henry W Horton Stringers in Town 5 north Range 7 west

Derius Austin ) road  
                  ) Commission  
Derius Thayre ) -ers

Survey of a public Highway

Commencing in the Center of a public Highway leading from Henry W Horton to Stringers 18 chains 50 links north of the  $\frac{1}{4}$  post on the east side of section 15 thence South  $3\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 80 chains to the  $\frac{1}{4}$  post between Section 22 & 23 thence South 17 degrees west 16 chains and 17 links to a black oak tree 12 inches in diameter thence due South ----- (?) 23 chains to the Center of the Shiawassee road in Town 5 north Range 7 west

Road  
Derius Austin ) Commission  
                  ) -ers  
Derius Thayre )

Survey of a public Highway

Commencing at the N.E. Corner of sec 3 & north W Corner of section 2 thence South  $3\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 204 chains and 50 links thence South  $26\frac{1}{4}$  degrees W 7.31 thence South 44 degrees east 5.50 to the sec line on west side 15 thence S  $3\frac{1}{2}$  degrees E 24.50 to the sections corners of 14,15, 22 & 23 thence S  $43\frac{1}{2}$  degrees East 11.50 thence S  $4\frac{1}{2}$  degrees West 10.80 to the section line on west side of 23 thence South  $3\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 143.00 to the sections Corners of 26,27, 34 & 35. 25 north R 8 east

Derius Austin, Derius Thayre  
Road Com.

Jun 29, 1837  
Henry W Horton Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Survey of a public Highway Commencing at a stake Standing 80 rods easterly from the quarter post between sections 35 & 36 in Town 5 north Range eight east from thence running South 86 degrees & 30 minits west as the needle now points to the above mentioned post thence south 86 degrees & 30 west 220 rods thence S 28 deg & 30 do 111 rods thence S 10 deg & 15 do 18 rods do S 21 deg east 46 rods to the South line of the Town thence west on South line of the Town to the quarter post of section thirty five at the South end of said Section 209 rods 9 links thence N 2 degrees 160 rods west thence S 85 deg & 30 west 160 thence N 66 degrees & 30 west 40 rods thence N 54 deg & west 56 do thence N 26 do and 30 west 80 do thence North 68 do & 30 west 160 rods thence South 89 do & west 140 rods thence North 76 do west 60 rods thence North 33 degrees west 46 rods to a stake Standing on the South east Side of the Shiawassee Road 96 links from the South east Corner of a log house North 8 degrees and 30 minits 96 links White Oak tree North 85 degrees East 147 links with three blacks 14 inches in diameter

Sept 24 1837

Derius Austin

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Constant Southworth  
Road Commissioners

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I Certify that the amount Audited against Groveland for 1837 is \$218.90

Henry W Horton Town Clerk Elbridge G Knowlton supervisor

Sept 24 1837

Daniel F Johnson Justice of  
the peace

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December 12 1837

Came on to the plantation of the subscriber about the first of November last two yearling Steers one a brownish red dark horns an hoofs the Other red and white and appears to be a ---- off the under side of the Left ear

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

George Mitchill living near  
Thomas Fagans

Dec 24 1837

Levi Warren appeared and proved property and paid charges

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Survey of a public Highway Commencing at the quarter post on the north Side of Section 8 thence West along the Section line 20 chains to a post thence South 3 3/4 degrees east 40 chains to a stake thence South 86 $\frac{1}{4}$  degrees West 60 chains to the quarter post on the west side of Section 7 on Range 7 east

Groveland Jan 7(?) 1838

Derius Austin ) road

Derius Thayre ) Com

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Groveland Township records ( cont )

Survey of a public Highway Beginning at the quarter post on the North Side of Section 7 thence West along the Section line 5 chains and fifty links to a post thence North  $7 \frac{3}{4}$  degrees West 15 chains to the Center of the road west of Fagans Commonly called the Fagan road in Range 7 east

Groveland Jan 3 1838

Derius Austin ) Road

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Derius Thayre ) Com

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Survey of a public Highway beginning in the Center of the Shiawassee road 14 chains and 25 links West of North East Corner of Section 17 thence North  $47\frac{1}{2}$  degrees West 8 chains to a post thence North Supposed to be  $9\frac{1}{2}$  degrees West 10 chains and  $45\frac{1}{2}$  links to a stake thence North  $1\frac{1}{2}$  degrees West 25 chains and 75 links to the center of the said Shiawassee road in range 7 east

Groveland Jan 3 1838

Derius Austin ) Highway

Derius Thayre ) Com

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Survey of a public Highway beginning at the North West Corner of Section 3 thence South along Said section line 49 chains to a post thence South  $44\frac{1}{4}$  degrees West 8 chains to a stake thence South  $25\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 15 chains and 75 links to the Section line on the west side of section 3 thence South on said Section line 90 chains to the South west Corner of section 10 in range 7 east

Groveland Jan 3 1838

Derius Austin ) road

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Derius Thayre ) Com

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Survey of a public Highway Commencing on the Town line between Sections 35 and 36 at the Corner stake running west three quarters of a mile to intersect a road laid by the Commissioners in the fall of 1835

January 3 1838

Constant Southworth

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Derius Thayre  
road Commissioners

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Survey of a public Highway Commencing at the South west Corner of 36 Running North on Town line one mile and Over to the North Corner of Section 20 in Town 5 north Range 9 east and said Town line one mile and seventy rods in Range 8 east

Constant Southworth

January 3 1838 Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Derius Thayre  
road Com



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Groveland Township records ( cont )

Survey of a public Highway Commencing at the South Corner of Section 31 on the South section line between 4 and 5 Townships thence running east on Said line to the east Corner of section 33 three miles and 20 rods to intersect the United States road in 8 east

Jan 3 1838

Constant Southworth

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Derius Thayre  
road Commissioners

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Survey of a public Highway Commencing at a stake Standing on the north Side of the Shiawassee road on section 26 range 7 in west Groveland.

Bearing this White Oak 829 degrees east 148 links 16 inches White Oak tree N 74 degrees and thirty minits east 140 links 14 inches diameter thence

North 40 degrees east 23 rods

"	25	"	16	"	11	inches
"	1D 30 m	W	14	"	18	"
"	64 degrees	East	18	"		
"	72	"	30	"	5	"
"	78	"	14	"		
"	53	"	12	"	28	"
"	72	"	20	"		
"	43 D 30 m	"	41	"	13	"
			20	"	24	"
"	87 degrees	"	46	"		
South	77	"	39	"	10	"
North	66	"	25	"		
"	38	"	17	"	10	"
"	49 D 30 m	"	17	"	18	"
"	53 degrees	"	46	"		
"	38	"	30	"		
"	21	"	45	"	14	"
"	69	"	27	"		
"	79	"	38	"	14	"
"	56	"	125	"	21	"
"	74	"	15	"	5	"
"	52	"	43	"	6	"
"	"	"	128	on S Line	14 & 20	
"	"	"	25	on S Line	as the needle now points to	

the South west line the Detroit and Saginaw turnpike Commencing in range 7 and terminates in Range 8

Constant Southworth

Jan 3 1838

Derius Thayre

road Com.

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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Survey of a public Highway in Town five Range eight east Commencing at the South East Corner and North East Corners of Sections 22 and 21 thence west on the north Side of 27 & 28 and post of 29 to intersect the United States Road at E.G.Knowlton's

( over )



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Groveland Township records ( cont )

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Derius Austin

Recorded March 14 1838

Constant Southworth

Commissioners of Highway

Survey of A public Highway in Town five north Range Seven east  
Commencing at a post Standing in the Section line 16, 23/100 chains  
east of the quarter post of Sections 5 & 32 thence South 20 degrees  
west 47, 67/100 chains to a post Standing in the Center of the road  
running East from Wm Gages on Subdivision line

Julian Beshat surveyor

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Derius Austin

March 14 1838

Constant Southworth

Commissioners of Highway

Survey of a public Highway Commencing on the Town line in Town  
5 & 6 north and Range 7 east and at the Section<sup>s</sup> Corners of 33 & 34  
on the Town line between Grand Blanc and Groveland thence west on  
said Town line 115, 85/100 chains to a post

Derius Austin      )  
Constant Southworth )      Commissioners of Groveland  
James Adams      )  
Alva Kenady      )      Commissioners of Grand Blanc

Recorded March 14 1838

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Grand Blanc Feb 27 1838

at a meeting of the road Commissioners of Grand Blanc and Groveland  
for the purpose of dividing the road on the Town line between  
Said Towns that is the road above described the following division  
was agreed upon that the Town of Groveland Slould take the west half  
of said road and the Town of Grand Blanc Shall take the remaining  
half of Said road

Recorded March 14 1838

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Derius Austin      )  
Constant Southworth )      road Commissioners of Groveland

James Adams      )  
Alvah Kennedy      )      road Commissioners of Grand Blanc



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At a meeting of the road Com for the Town of Groveland present Derius Austin and Derius Thayre and Constant Southworth at which time the following road dist. were set off from the old Dist and Ordered to be recorded viz Dist 14 set off from Dist 5 and include the following Sections and parts of Viz 1,2,11 and 12 and east half 3 & 10 in the neighborhood of Samuel Clements

March 27 1838

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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Survey of a public Highway Beginning at the N.E.Corner of Section 4 thence East on said Section line 80 chains to the N.East corner of Section 3 in Town 5 north Range 8 East

John Hossler	)	Com of
	)	Highway
Talford Powell)	)	of Atlas
Derius Thayre	)	road
	)	Commission-
Constant South)	)	ers of
-worth	)	Groveland

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Survey of a public Highway Commencing for ----- at the  $\frac{1}{4}$  post on the west side of Sec 31 thence to the Shiawassee road 27 rods 13 links thence S  $79\frac{1}{2}$  degrees --- 60 --- 00 S 45 degrees 50 rods 18 lin to the place of beginning --- sais road N on Subdivision line 71 rods North  $17\frac{3}{4}$  E 50 rods N  $27\frac{1}{2}$  E 19 rods 05 N 4 E 22 rods North  $31\frac{1}{2}$  E 19 rods o4 links to the place of ----- from thence to the  $\frac{1}{4}$  post on the North Side 31 is N 20 degrees E 52

Recorded March 29 1838

Constant Southworth road Com

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the road Commissioners of the Town of Groveland Present Derius Thayre and Constant Southworth ( 1838 )

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Survey of A public Highway Commencing one Chain and thirty four links East of the South West Corner of Section 36 in the Town of Atlas and at the end of the Road from Goodrich Mill thence South 39 degrees East 28 Chains and 50 links to a post thence South 26 degrees east 29 chains ahd 20 links to a post thence South  $42\frac{1}{2}$  degrees east 14 chains to a white Oak tree 14 inches in diameter thence South  $24\frac{1}{2}$  degrees East 13 chains to a post thence south 54 degrees East 27 chains to a post thence South 27 degrees east 40 chains  $12\frac{1}{2}$  links to the Town line Road being in Range eight east

March 29 1838

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Derius Thayre	)	road Com
Derius Austin	)	



Groveland Township records. ( cont )

County of Oakland )  
Town of Groveland )  
Township of Groveland)

At the fourth Annual Town Meeting for the  
Town of Groveland held at the House of John Phipp agreeable to  
adjournment Present Daniel F Johnson and Henry Hunt Justice of  
the peace and Henry W Horton Town Clerk and Justice of the peace  
Elbridge G Knowlton appointed Moderator and Clerk were duly Sworn  
Meeting being called to order Voted that the  
names of all the Candidates for Town offices Should be put on one  
piece of paper and all put in at once.

Elbridge G Knowlton had the Majority of Votes for Supervisor

Henry W Horton for Town Clerk

Abram

\* D Perry ) for Assessors

Thomas J ----(?) )

Derius Thayre )

Wm Von Steenburgh ) for road Commissioners

Wm D Richmond )

Thomas Hadley ) for School Inspectors

Simeon M Smith )

Thomas J ----(?) )

Simeon M Smith for Justice of the peace

Voted that there shall be 2 Cons elected Dan R Lord and Alford  
Richmond for Constables

John Hadley ) for Overseers of the poor  
Ashley Rathbon)

Voted that the Overseers of Highway be also fence viewers

for Road Dist No 3 Abram D Perry Overseer

for road Dist No 5 Truman Husted overseer

for road Dist No 6 Derius Thayre Overseer

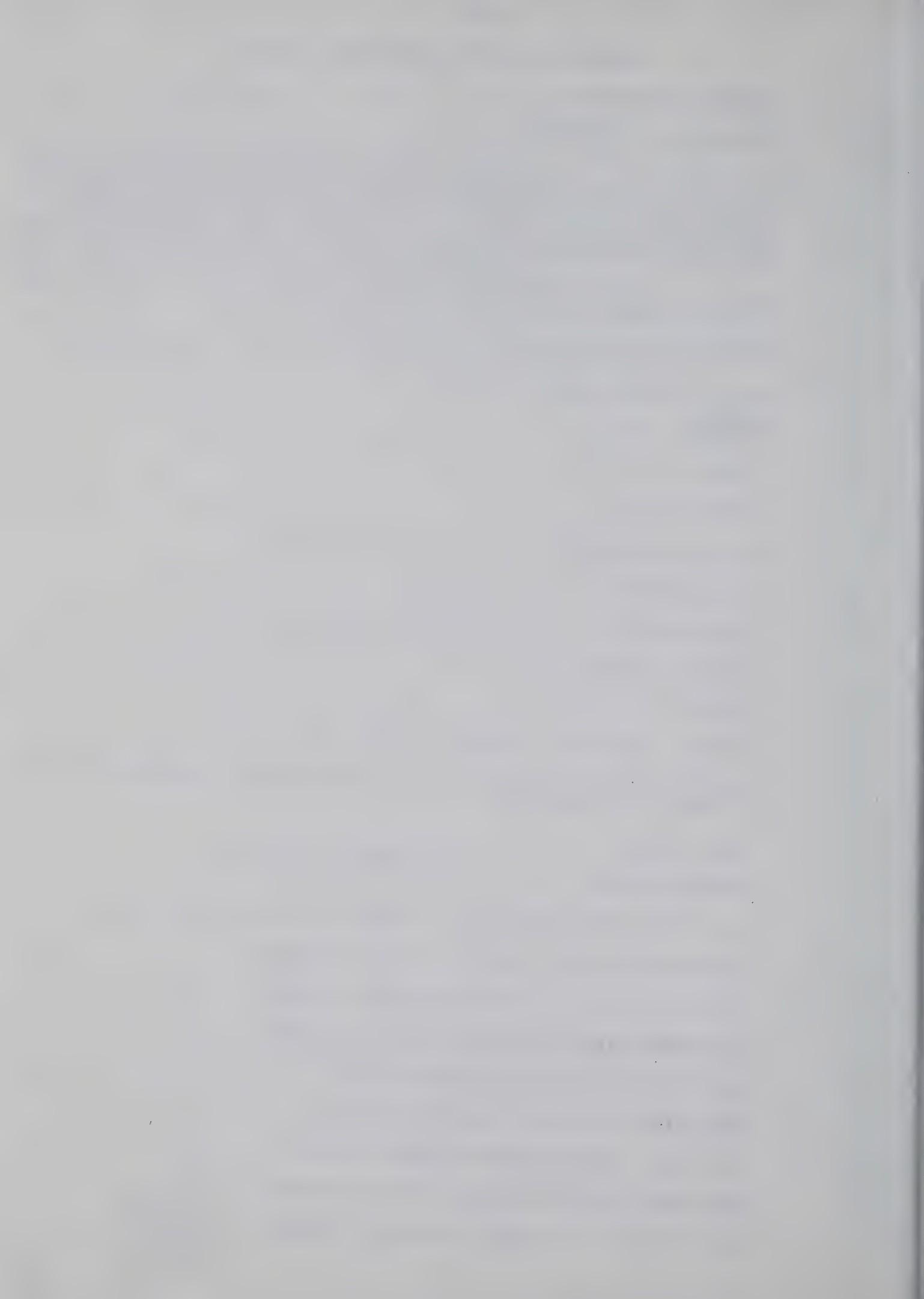
road Dist No 7 John Phipps Overseer

road Dist No 4 Ezra Herrick Overseer

road Dist No 10 Solomon Tobey Overseer

road Dist No 11 Nicholas Hevens Overseer

road Dist No 14 Samuel Clements Overseer



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Also for Justices of the James H Eastman and Ezra Herrick received each thirty eight votes

Also for Assessors Ashley Rathbon and Simeon M Smith received ea each 38 votes for said office at 3 mains and 23 Twpce

Voted Stud Horses and Boars Shall not be free Commoners for the ensuing Year

Voted that bulls shall be free Commoners for the ensuing Year

Voted that rams shall not be free Commoner from the first day of August till the first day December for the ensuing Year

Voted that there shall be twenty five dollars raised in Said Town for the support of the poor for the ensuing Year

Voted that there shall be three dollars bounty on every wolf that is Caught and killed in Said Town for the year ensuing

Voted that the next annual Town Meeting be held at the House of Elbridge G. Knowlton

Voted that this Town Meeting is now adjourned

We Certify that the Above named person that received the Majority of Votes are duly elected and that the Above by Laws was ----(?)

Elbridge G. Knowlton  
Moderator

Daniel F Johnson Henry Hunt Justice of the peace

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Also the Justices and Assessors that received each thirty eight votes agreed to draw for the --- which Should Serve or which Should resign if that is Law. Ezra Herrick was elected Justice of the peace and Simeon Smith Assessor

Simeon M. Smith and Ezra Herrick Justices notified by Supervisor and met on the --- (?) and their time of Service was determined in th following manner viz Ezra Herrick for t--(?) years Simeon M Smith for 4 years

Groveland April 5 1838

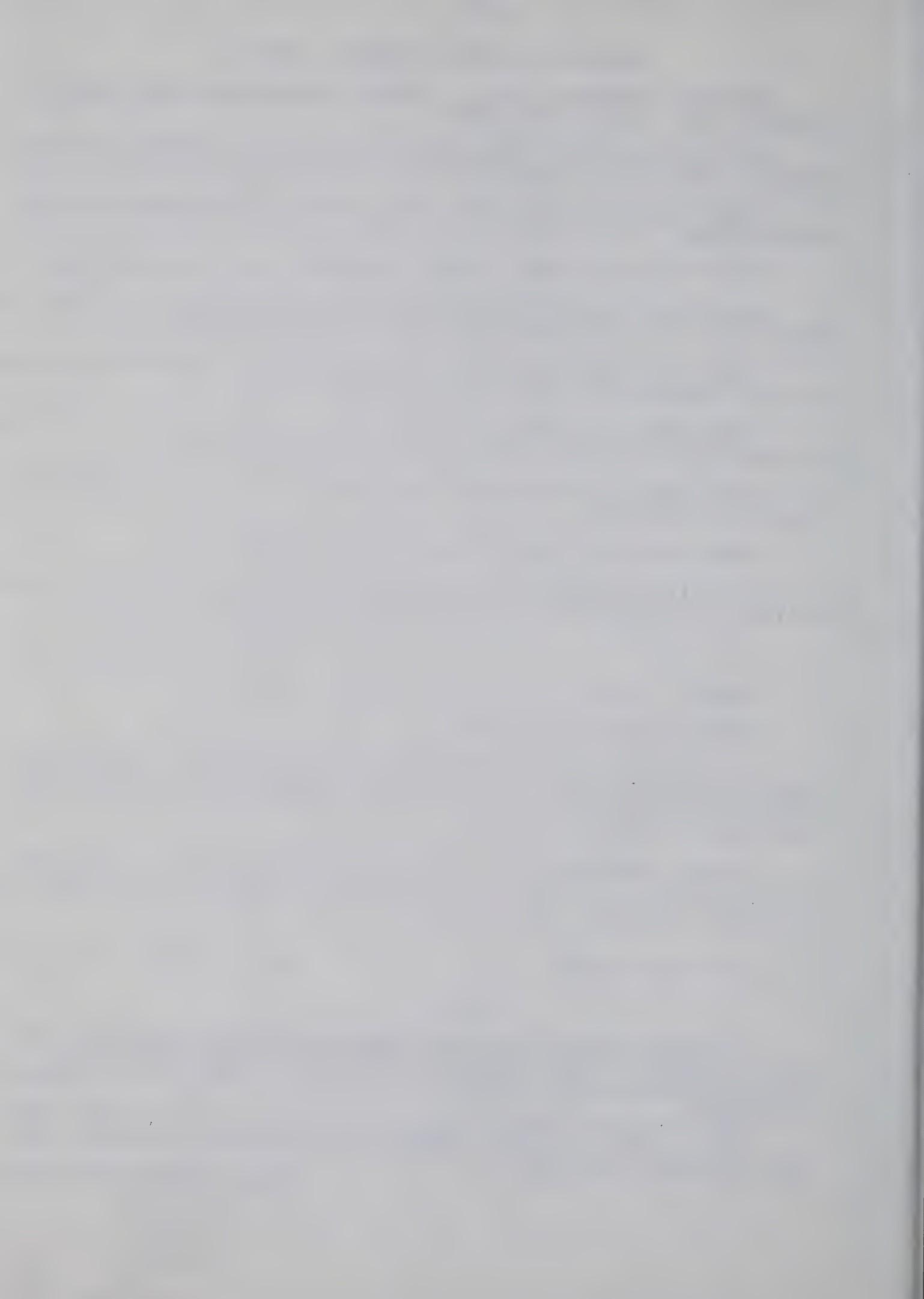
Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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I hereby Certify that Truman Phelps personally Came before took and Subscribed an Oath touching the Legality of his Contemplated Marriage to Miss Lucy Morehouse of the Town of Holley in said County of Oakland

Also I further Certify that I received the written Consent from the Mother of the Said Truman Phelps he being under the age of twenty one. May the 19 th 1838

Henry W Horton Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Survey of a public Highway Commencing at the South east Corner of Section 27 in Town 5 north Range 8 East thence west on the Sec line to the South west corner of said Sec thence North on ~~Said~~ Sec Line 9 chains and 50 Links thence North 3 degrees E 4 Chains thence N North 27 degrees 50 minits West 5 chains and 23 thence North 28 degrees 55 minits E 3 chains and 28 Links to a white Oak tree on the Section Line to within 15 chains and 90 Links of the quarter Stake on the west Side of Said Section thence North on ~~Section~~ Line to the North west Corner of Said Section

ALSO a road Commencing at the North E Corner of Sec 26 thence running W on the Sec Line to the Center of the United States Road within 9 chains and 11 Links North West Corner of Section 29 in Said Township

ALSO a road Commencing at the Quarter post & on the North Side of Sec 29 thence South on the Quarter Line 29 chains and 46 Links to the Center of the United States Road

ALSO a road Commencing at a post on Section Line 2 chains North of the quarter post on the E side of Sec 27 thence 83 degrees 50 minits E 5 chains and 2 Links to a white oak tree thence North 89 degrees and 20 minits E 7 chains to a post thence South 55 degrees and 20 minits E 2 chains and 11 Links to a White Oak tree thence South 9 degrees 20 minits W 4 chains to a yellow oak tree thence South 38 degrees 35 minits West 20 chains to a post on Sec Line within 21 Links of the South E corner of Said Sec

ALSO Commencing at the quarter post Section 8 thence running on t  
the quarter Line 40 chains and three Links to a post in the Center of  
Said Section

ALSO a road Commencing at a post at an equal distance between the quarter post on the North Side of Sec 16 and the north east Corner of Said Section thence South on the half quarter Line 80 chains to a post on the Sec Line at a equal distance between the  $\frac{1}{4}$  posts on the South Side of Said Section and the South east Corner of Said Section

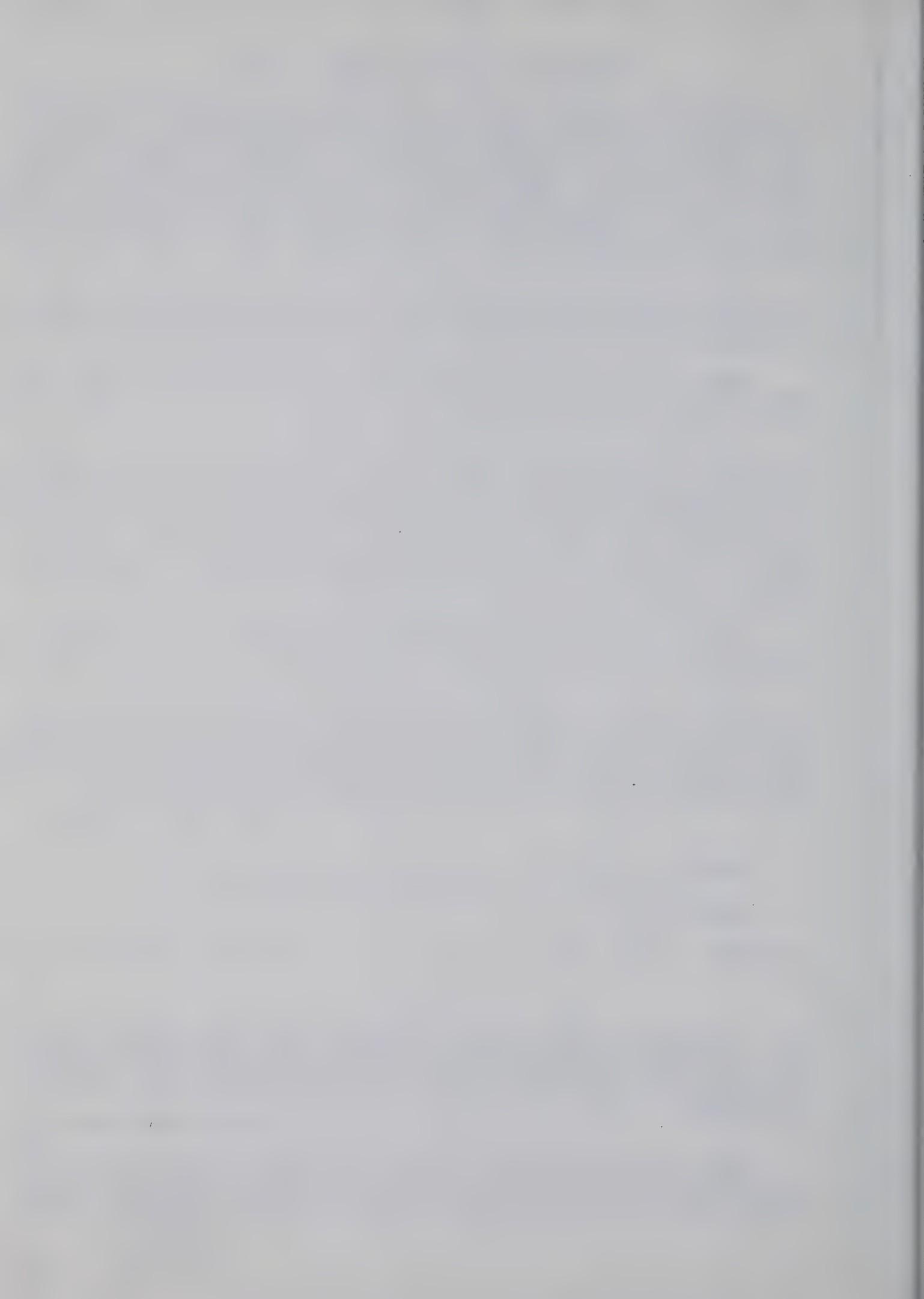
Morris Ripley Surveyor

Groveland Sept 3 1838 Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Survey of a public Highway Commencing at the  $\frac{1}{2}$  post on the West Side of Section 19 North 86  $\frac{3}{4}$  degrees E 48 chains and 74 Links to the Center of the Center of the United States road on Said Section 19 and between the farms of John Hadley and Michael Ayres Wm Van Steenburgh

Derius Thayre road Com

ALSO a road laid out by the Said Commissioners of the Town of Groveland and Holley Commencing at the  $\frac{1}{4}$  post on the West Side of Section 19 and on the Town Line Between Groveland and Holley thence



Groveland Township records ( cont )

South 3½ degrees E to the center of the road that Leads from Elbridge G Knowltons to Fentonville on the west line of Groveland. Dated at Holley N.Y. this 11th day of October 1838  
I hereby Certify James G Horton Surveyor

Derius Thayre      )  
Wm Van Steenburgh ) road Commissioners of Groveland  
Peter Fagan      )

Derius Austin      )  
Peter Fagan      ) road Commissioners for Holley

Groveland Sept 15 1838

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

County of Oakland)  
Town of Groveland)

I hereby Certify that Delna Horton personally Came before me Took and Subscribed an Oath Touching the Legality of his Contemplated Marriage to Miss Sarah Royes of the Town of Holley in Said County

Groveland Sept 26 1838 Henry W Horton Town Clerk

amount

audited      I hereby Certify that the Amount Audited against against Groveland for the year 1838 is one hundred Groveland and thirteen dollars and seventy eight cents for 1838

Elbridge G Knowlton Sup

Henry Hunt      ) Justices of  
Simeon Smith) the peace

I Certify the Above to be the Amount audited against Groveland for the Year 1838

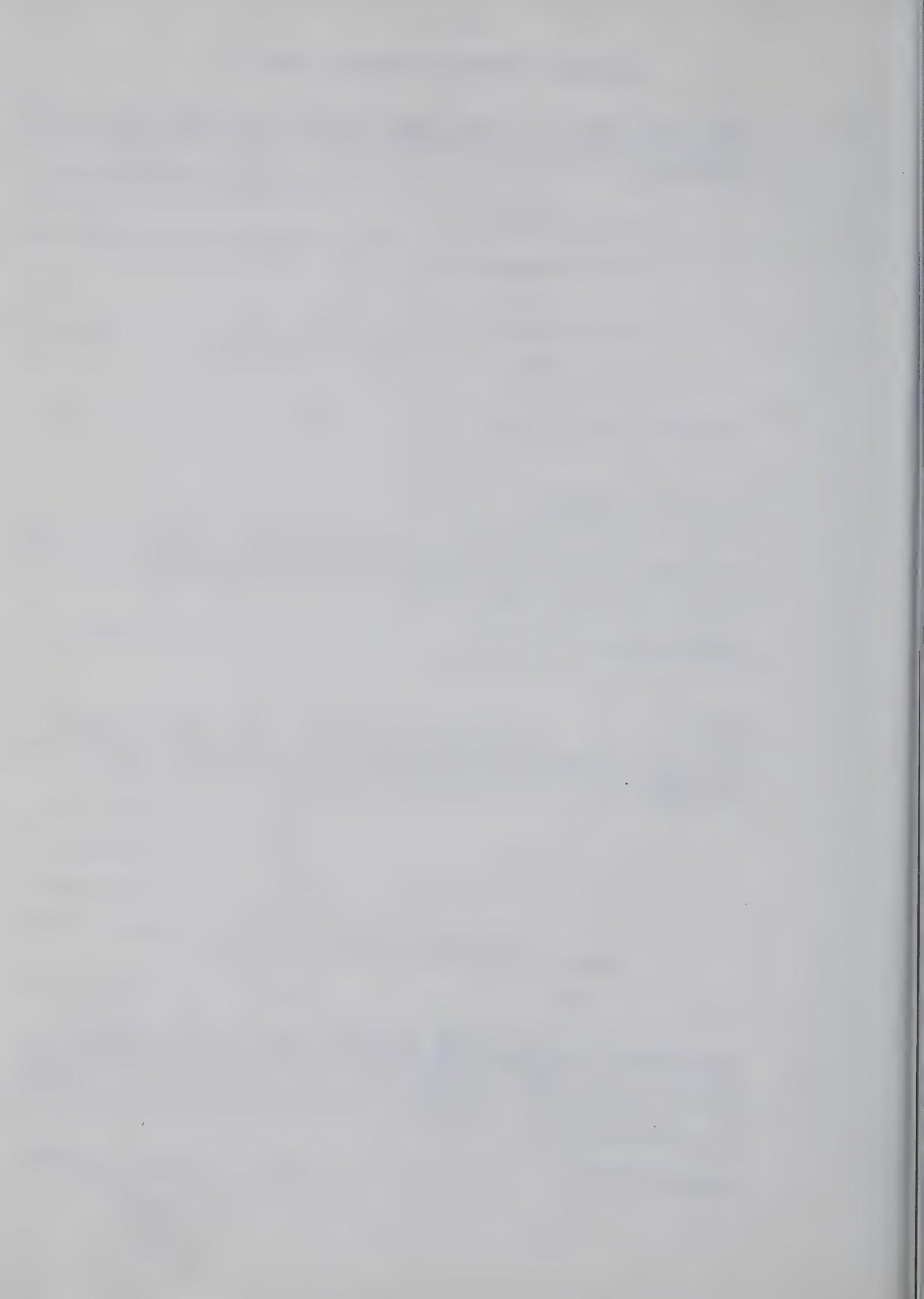
Sept 25 th 1838

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

I hereby Certify that the Amount audited against for the Year 1838 including forty Seven dollars poor money and for woolf scalps and D.E North Lewis North Wm Van Steenburgh and per cent for Collecting Amounts to two hundred and twelve dollars and ninety Seven cents as appears from the Supervisors book

March 26 1839

Henry W Horton Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont. )

At a Meeting of the Road Commissioners of the Town of Groveland held at the house of Elbridge G Knowlton present Derius Thayre William Von Steenburgh and Williamson D Richmon (?) at which time the following Road Dists was ordered to be recorded

Road Dist No 1

to include the following Sections and parts of Sections to wit one two 11 & 12 and the east half of these and ten

Samuel Clements

Road Dist No 2

Sections 4 North half of 9 and north West quarter of 10 and the west half of 3

Thayres

Road Dist No 3

Sections 5 & 6 and the north half of 7

Johnsons

Road Dist No 4

Sections 8 and north half of 17 & 18 and South half of 7

Hortons

Road Dist No 5

Sections and parts of Sections north half of 16 South half of 9 north west  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 15 and South west  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 10

Marveins

Road Dist No 6

Section 19 and South half of 18 and west half of South west  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 17 and the West half of north west  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 20

Husted

Road Dist No 7

the following Sections and parts of Sections east  $\frac{1}{2}$  of South west  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 17 and South east  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 17 and South  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 16 and South  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 15 and north east  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 15 and Section 13 & 14 north  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 21, 22 & 23 and north east  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 20 one ast  $\frac{1}{2}$  of north west  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 20

Abram D Perry

Road Dist No 8

to include the following Sec 24 - 25 and 36 and east  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Sections 26 & 35 & South east  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 23

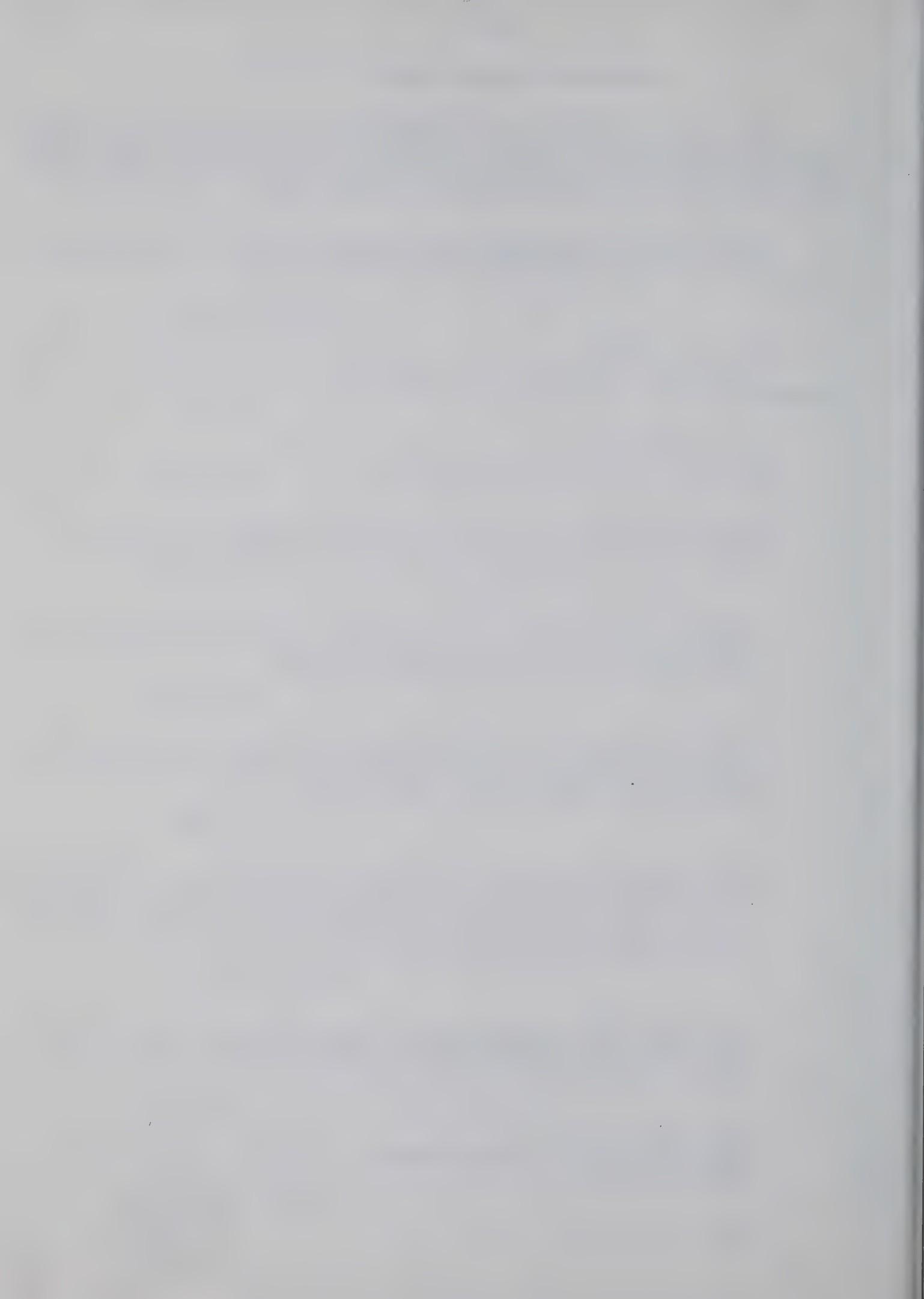
Richmonds

Road Dist No 9

west  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 26 & 35 and the east  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Sections 27 & 34 & SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 22 & SW  $\frac{1}{2}$

Henry Hunts esq 23

Road Dist No 10



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Road Dist No 10 South west  $\frac{1}{4}$  22, South  $\frac{1}{2}$ , 20 and 21 and north  $\frac{1}{4}$  28 north west  $\frac{1}{4}$  27

James H Eastmans

Road Dist No 11 West half of Section 33 east side of 34  
west half of Section 34 east half of 33, South west  $\frac{1}{4}$  27 and  
South east  $\frac{1}{4}$  28

Gabriel Ogdens

Road Dist No 12

Sections 29 & 32 and west  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 33 and South west  $\frac{1}{4}$  28

Constant Southworth

Road Dist No 13

Sections 30 and 31

Lewis North )  
Derius Thayre ) Road  
Wm D Richmond ) Commissic  
Wm Vonsteenburgh) -ers

March 26 1839

I Certify the above to be a true Statement of the road dist as set off by the Road Commissioners

Recorded March 27 1839

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Report of the Road Com Sayeth that the whole number of days assessed and according to the returns of the Overseers has all been worked out is Six hundred and twenty Six and one half And further the Money Received from the County treasurer fifteen dollars and sixty two cents which has all been Laid out in the road Dist where the money was raised from And further that there has no Money come into their hands for fines or --- atation And further that it is not necessary to raise any money for the support of the Highway and Bridges as an ordinary Tax will be sufficient for the same A true Copy of Report

March 26 1839

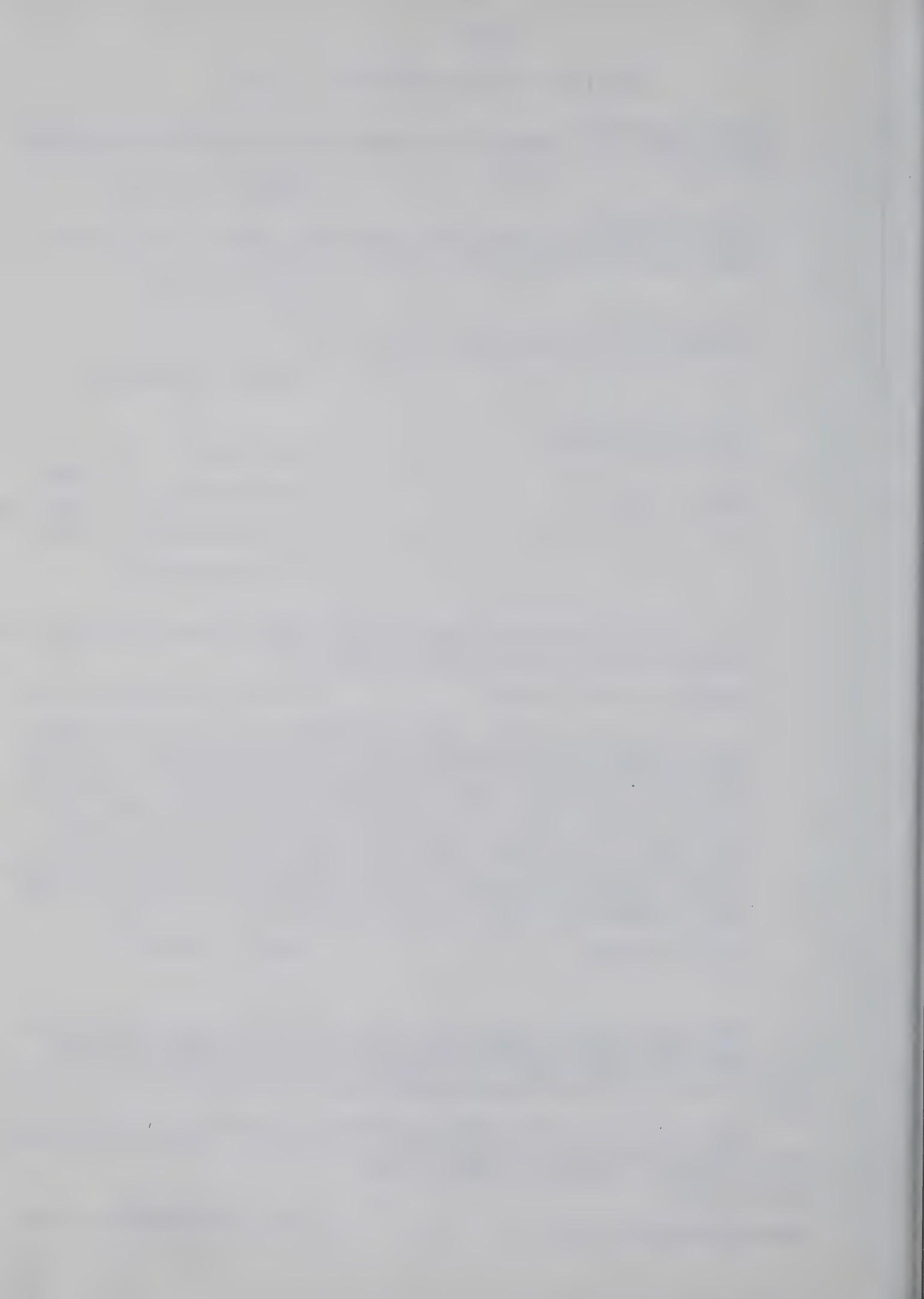
Henry W Horton T.C.

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John Hadley one of the Overseers of the poor Says that all the poor Money that has come into his hands has been expended for the Support of said poor except ten dollars and nineteen cents which he is ready to pay out to any person authorized to receive the same. A true Copy

Also ---- (?) with the Supervisor and remains --- in his hands twenty two dollars which he is ready to pay over to any person authorized to receive the same. A true Copy  
March 26 1839

Recorded March 28 1839

Henry W Horton Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Survey of a public Highway Commencing at north west Corner of Section 21 thence running South on Said Section here to the South east Corner of Said Section

ALSO A road Commencing at the north west Corner of Section twelve thence east on Said Line to the  $\frac{1}{4}$  Stake on the north side of Said Section thence east on Section Line 11 Chains and 25 Links to the Center of the highway Bearing to the termination of Said Road Yellow Oak 8 inches South 16 degrees W,  $24\frac{1}{2}$  Links white Oak 14 inches N  $24\frac{1}{2}$  degrs East 79 Links

Laid out the 15 day of Dec 1838 last but not handed in to be recorded till the 26 th of March 1839

ALSO, A road Commencing on Section line 10 chains and forty one Links North of the  $\frac{1}{4}$  stake on the west Side of Section 24 thence N  $68^{\circ}$  350 minits east 2 chains and 50 Links thence North 38 degrees ar 10 minits East 21 & 91 Links to a white Oak tree 20 inches thence north 22 degrees 50 minits east 12 chains and 5 Links thence North 1 degree & 50 minits east 20 chains thence North 17 degrees 50 minits West 8 chains and ninety five Links thence north 79 degrees West 5 chains thence north 21 degrees 50 minits west 3 chains and fifty Link thence north 52 degrees and 15 West 15 chains and fifty Links thence North 2 degrees and 30 minits West 2 chains and 62 Links thence north 40 degrees and 20 West 9 chains to a Yellow Oak tree 4 inches Standing on Section Line 11 chains and 60 Links north of the  $\frac{1}{4}$  stake on the west side of Section 13 thence north on Section Line to the north west Corner of Section 12

March 28 1839

Derius Thayre )  
                    ) Road Com  
Wm D Richmond )

I Certify the above to be a true Copy of the Survey bill as ordered to be recorded

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

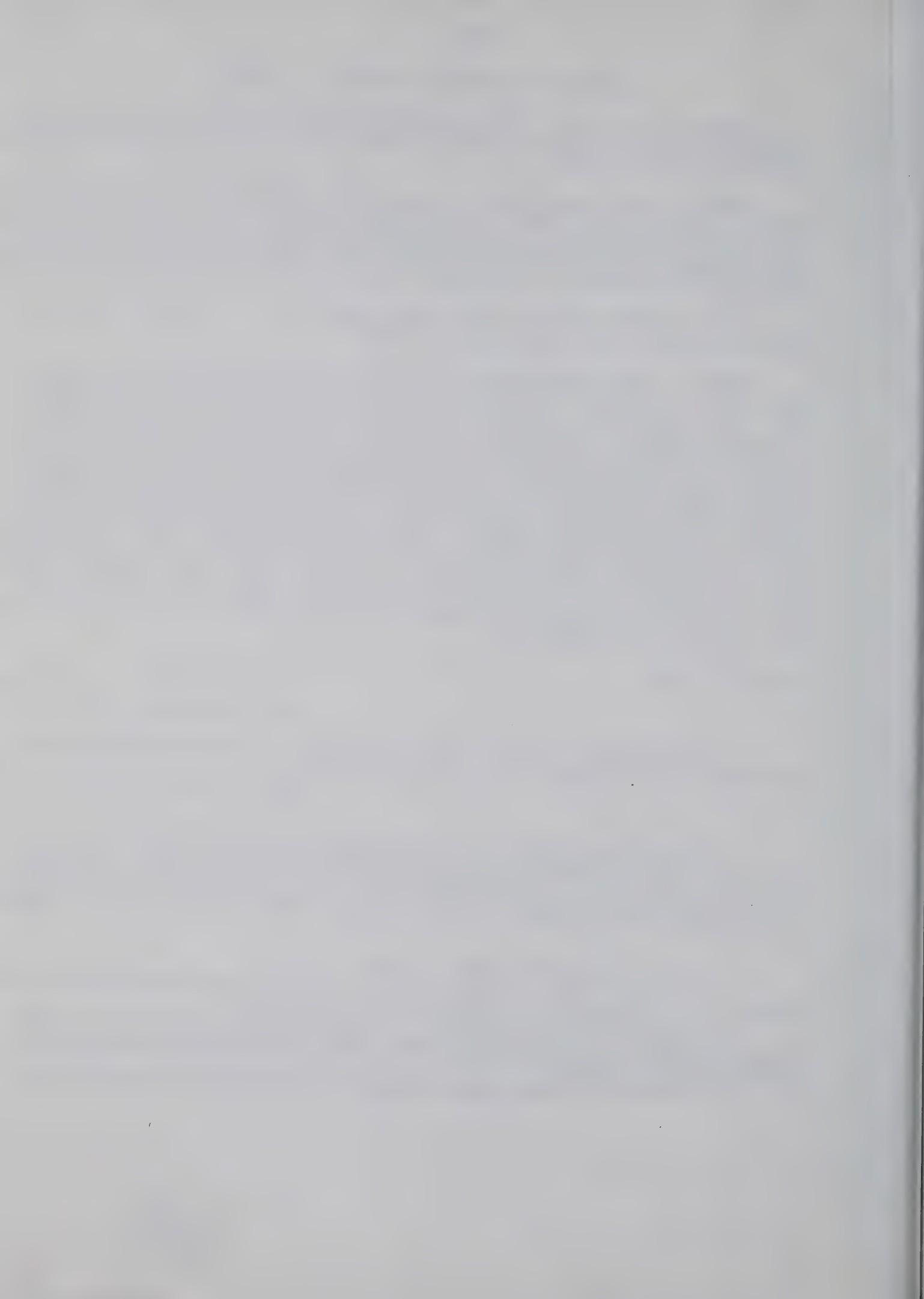
At meeting of the Road Commissioners Present Henry Hunt John Tobey and Samuel Clements at which time William P Husted farm was put into Road Dist No 4 being north pt of W  $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 18 and north pt of East pt of S East  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Sec 18 and north pt of East pt of S East  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec of 18

Town of Groveland April 1 1839

The Annual Town Meeting for the Town of Groveland held at the house of E.G.Knowlton according to adjournment

Of the Town Board present E.G.Knowlton Supervisor Henry Hunt and Simeon W Smith Justice of the peace and Henry W Horton Justice of the peace and Town Clerk

At which time and place Abraham D.Perry had the Majority of Vot



Groveland Township records ( cont )

for Supervisor

Henry W Horton for Town Clerk

Joseph Jennings jr  
Henry W Peck  
Harvey Mudge } for assessors

John Tobey  
Samuel Clements  
Henry Hunt } for highway Commissioners

John Hadley  
Gabriel S Ogdon  
James Henry } Inspectors of primary Schools

Abraham D Perry bound Master

Voted that Overseers of highways be by raising the rite hand  
for Road District No 1 William H Putnam Overseer

Road Dist No 2 Joseph Jennings jr Overseer

Road Dist No 3 Daniel F Johnson Overseer

Road Dist No 4 Alexander Downy Overseer

Road Dist No 5 Delno D Horton Overseer

Road District No 6 John Hadley Overseer

Road District No 7 John S Narrin Overseer

Road District No 8 William D Richmond Overseer

Road District No 9 Thomas J Ewill Overseer

Road Dist No 10 James H Eastman Overseer

Road District No 11 Gabriel S Ogdon Overseer

Road Dist No 12 E.G . Knowlton Overseer

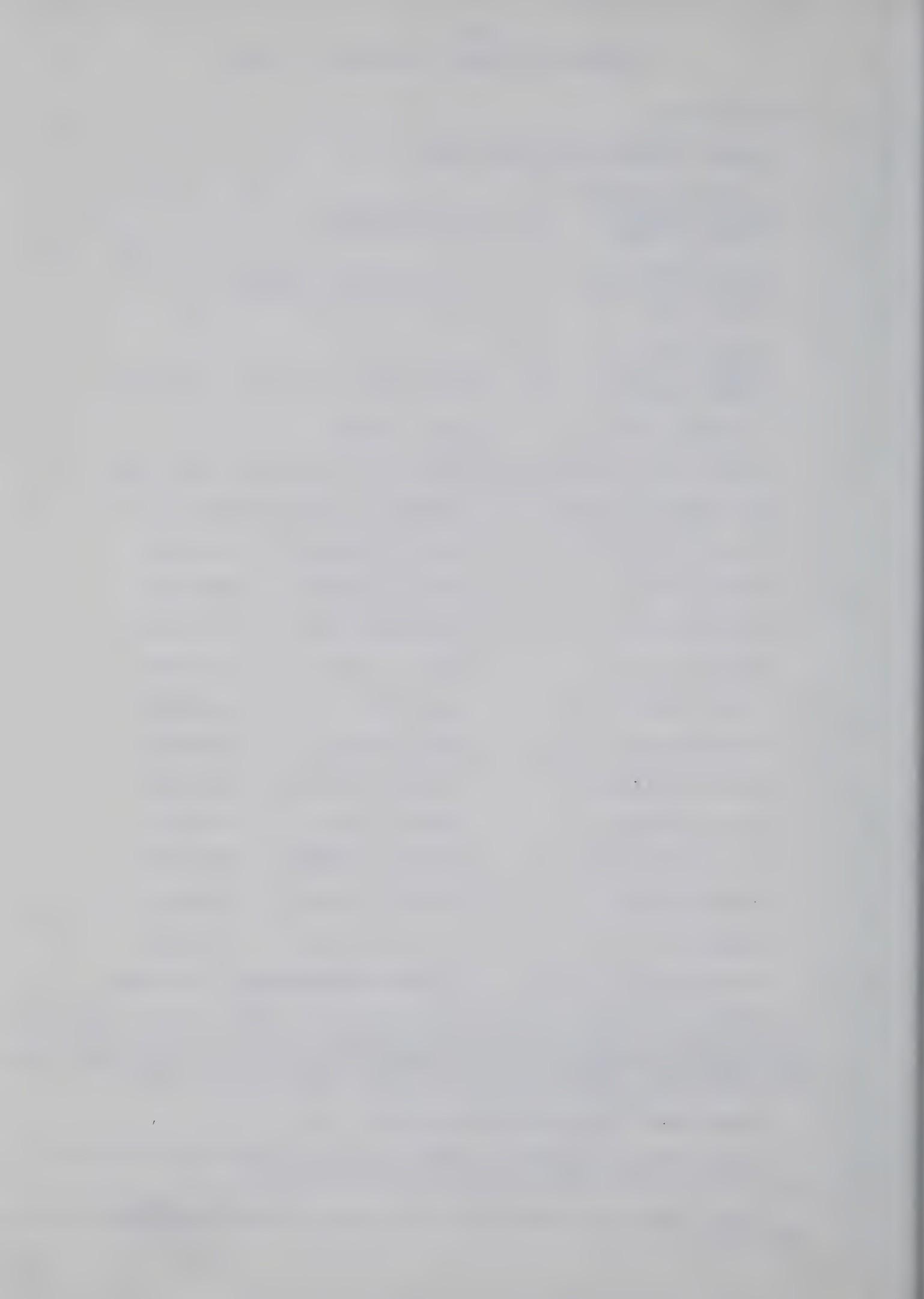
Road District No 13 William Vonsteenburgh Overseer

Voted that the poor money and the that remains in the Supervisors  
hands Shall be paid to the Town Treasurer by him to be Let out to  
the highest bidder So that the Same may apply on the next years Town  
Tax. Amount of money thirty two dollars and nineteen cents

Voted that Bulls be free to run at Large

Voted that rams Shall be free to run at large except from the  
first day of Sept till the first day of December

Voted that Stud horses shall not run at large after they are two  
years old



Groveland Township records ((cont.)

At a joint meeting of the Assessors and Town Clerk

Voted that the Town pay five dollars bounty on wolves that are caught and killed in Town or east corner of Groveland and South corner of Marion River and invited one of said men

Voted that there Shall be a pound built in Town and that the same be near the house of Abram D Perry

Voted that the next Annual Town Meeting be held at the new dwelling house of Elbridge G Knowlton

Voted that this meeting now adjourn

Also Henry W Horton had the Majority of Votes for Justice of the peace for the Constitutional term

And Joseph Jennings jr had the Majority of Votes for Justice of the peace to fill vacancy of Jonathan T Allen whose term of office would have expired on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of July 1840

We Certify that the above named persons received the Majority of Votes for the offices Set to their names and was declared elected

Also to the Above by Laws and regulations

Done at Groveland this 1 day of April 1839

E.G Knowlton Supervisor

Henry Hunt ) Justices  
              ) of the  
Si meon W Smith ) peace

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

April 5 th 1839

John Hadley paid the poor money that remained in his hands to the Town Treasurer amount ten dollars and nineteen cents

Henry W Norton Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Assessors and Town Clerk present Harvey Mudge Henry W Peck assessors and Henry W Horton Town Clerk

the following persons was Selected and returned for Jurors for said Town of Groveland

Groveland May the 11 1839 Henry W Norton Town Clerk

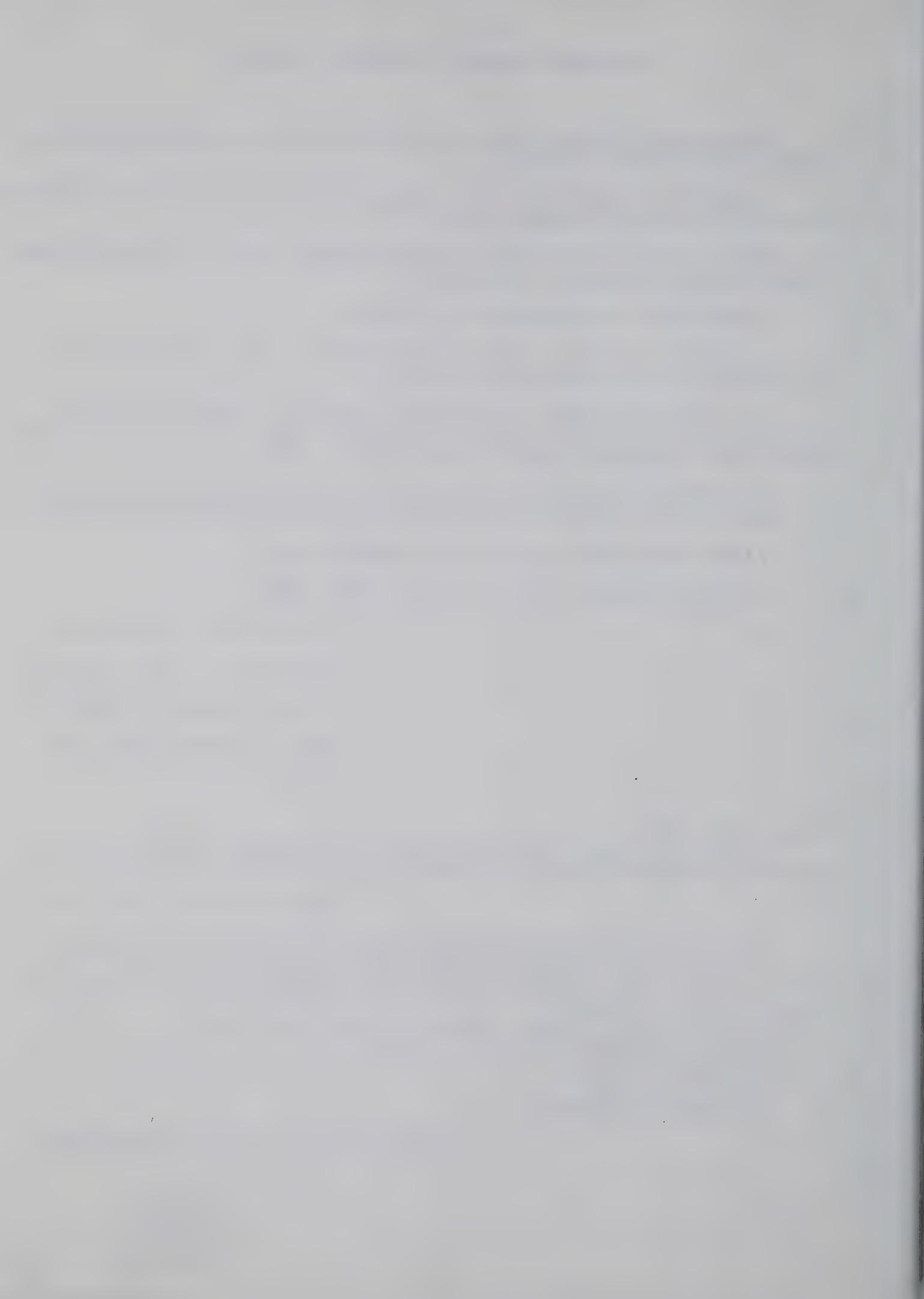
Daniel F Johnson

Abraham D Perry

Harris Stillson

Constant Southworth

Attest Henry W Norton Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Laid At a joint Meeting of the Road Commissioners of Groveland and Brandon the following Road was laid out and ordered to be recorded  
Commencing at the South east Corner of Groveland and Southwest Corner of Brandon thence north on the Division Line of Said Towns to the  $\frac{1}{4}$  Stake on 25 in Groveland and Said Line to the Center of Said Road and further that Said Road be four rods wide

Also agreed by Said road Commissioners that South half of Said road shall belong to the Town of Brandon and the north half to the Town of Groveland

Laid out the 8 th of June 1839

Henry Hunt ) Com. of Highway  
Samuel Clements ) for Groveland

Jacob Price ) road Commission-  
Caleb Stanley ) ers for  
J Ball ) Brandon

Recorded June 21 th 1839

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Survey of a public Highway Commencing at the  $\frac{1}{4}$  Stake on the west Side of Section 23 running thence N 12 degrees and 20 minits west ~~of~~ 9 chains and 78 links to a yellow Oak tree 8 inches thence north 34° 30' minits west 5 chains and 78 links to a white Oak tree 8 inches thence North 16° 10' west 9 chains and 11 Links to a white oak tree 20 inches thence north 55° west eight chains to a yellow Oak tree 8 inches thence north 4° 30' East 4 chains and 85 Links to a white Oak tree 6 inches thence north 18° 30' E 9 chains and 8 Links to a yellow Oak tree 12 inches thence N 16° 30' East 8 chains and 47 Links to a yellow Oak tree 12 inches thence N 39° 50' 24 chains and 93 Links to a yellow oak tree 12 inches on the Section Line - on the west Side of Section 14 and 11 chains and 9 Links North of the South west Corner of Said Section

Recorded Sept 14 1839

Henry Hunt ) Road  
Samuel Clements ) Commissioners

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Road Com of the Towns of Groveland and Springfield on the 9 th day of Nov 1839 for the purpose of Laying out a highway upon a line between Said Towns two of the Commissioners of the Town of Groveland and three from the Town of Springfield being present it is ordered and determined by the Said Commissioners that highway be laid out upon the Line between Said Towns Commencing at the Southwest Corner of the Town of Groveland and the northwest Corner of the Town of Springfield and thence running east along Said division Line of Said Towns to where the Shiawassee road intersects said Line and that Said Line as above described be the Center of Said road and that the Said road be the breadth of four rods And it is further ordered that the Said highway be divided into two road Districts as follows that post beginning at the east end thence west on Said line to a stake Standing in Said road eighty two rods and --- Links be one of Said Dist and Shall belong to Springfield and the residue of



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Said Road Shall be the other of Said Districts and Shall be attached to Groveland

In witness whereof the Said Commissioners have hereto Set their names this 9<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1839

Samuel Curtis ) highway Com  
Daniel T Wilson ) for  
Judson Paddock ) Springfield

Henry Hunt ) highway Comm-  
John Tobey ) issioners of  
Groveland

Recorded Nov 14 1839

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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At a joint Meeting of the highway Commissioners of the Towns of Groveland and Holly on the 14 day of November 1839 two of Said Commissioners being present from Holly and two from Groveland it was ordered that a highway Should be Laid out on the Line between Said Towns Commencing at the northeast Corner of Holly and the north west Corner of Groveland thence South on Said Line to the Center of the road that Leads from Daniel F Johnson to the United States Road.

And it is further ordered that Said road Shall be four rods wide And further that Said road shall be divided into two said Districts and the Town of Groveland shall take the South end of Said road and the Town of Holley the north end of Said road and the Center of Said road is at an elm Stump in the Crossway

In witness whereof we the said road Commissioners have put our hands this 14 day of Nov 1839

Henry Hunt ) Commissioners of  
John Tobey ) high Groveland

Edwin Edwards ) Commissioners  
Luther Herrick ) of highway  
Holley

Recorded Nov 15 1839

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

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To the Commissioners of the County Oakland in State of Michigan-

Hereby Complains of the premises hereunto ----- mentioned the undersigned begs Leave to present to your Consideration that on the eight day of June 1839 Jacob Price and Caleb Stanley road Commissioners of the Town of Brandon and Henry Hunt Commissioners of Highways for the Town of Groveland proceeded to Lay out a public Highway on the Line Brandon & Groveland and Beginning at the South west Corner Brandon running north or northerly along the Line of Said Town with Said Town of Groveland to by & through Section Thirty one in Said Town of Brandon that the Said Commissioners proceeded to Lay out Said Road without having it Certified to them pursuant to the Statute in Such cases



Groveland Township records ( cont )

made and ----- that Such road was necessary and that no notice given in pursuance of the Statute Specifying the Center of the proposed Highway the Several Tracts of Land through which the Said Road was proposed to be Laid out and the time and place, the freeholders would meet to examine the Ground for Said road and determine whether the Same was necessary or not and there was not any assemblage of freeholders in pursuance of the Statute in such cases made and provided to examine & determine upon the necessity as propriety of Such Road that so much as part of the west  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the north west quarter of Section Thirty one through which Said Road so Laid passes is & was then ----- and improved and that Such Road So Laid out and established is unnecessary and uncalled for by which premises the undersigned is Greatly aggrieved & therefore prays that you would meet and view the Said Road So established and the premises so ----- and ----- & also so much of the road as Borders and runs along or upon any part of Said Section thirty-one - and discontinue the Same as well you may by the Statute in Such Cases made and provided & as he Should So he will ever pray

Dated Brandon June 24 1839

Nathaniel D Bingam

To Jacob Price Caleb Stanley Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Brandon & Henry Hunt & MrClements Commissioners of Highway of the Town of Groveland County of Oakland -

Gent Notice is hereby given that an appeal has been made against your determination in Laying out and Establishing a public Highway on the Line of the Townships aforesaid Beginning at the Southwest Corner of Brandon Running thence north as northerly along the Line of Said Town with Said Town of Groveland to by and through Section thirty-one in Said Town of Brandon. You will therefore take Notice that the Commissioners of the County of Oakland will Convene at the House of Nathaniel D Bingam in Said Town of Brandon on the 28 day of Nov at 12 oclock noon for the Purpose of hearing and deciding on Said appeal  
Dated County Clerks office this 18 day of Nov 1839

Isaac I Voorhies) Oakland  
William H Axford) County  
George Brownell ) Commissioners  
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To Storm Arnold of the Township of Groveland County of Oakland

Sir you will please take notice that a meeting will take at the House of Nathaniel D Bingams in the Town of Brandon on the 28 instant 12 oclock noon by the County Commissioners of Oakland to determine on an appeal made by Nathaniel D Bingham against the Determination of the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Groveland and Brandon in Laying and Establishing a highway on the Line of Said Township to by and Through Section 31 in Said Town of Brandon To and For which --- was an applicant  
Dated County Clerk office this 18 day of Nov A D 1839

Isaac I Voorhies  
William Axford  
George Brownell

In Appeal from the Doings of Jacob Price and Caleb Stanley Com-



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Groveland And Nathaniel D Bingham

We Isaac I Voorhies & George Brownel Commissioners in & for the County of Oakland hereby Certify that an appeal hereunto annexed Ma--- A was duly Served on us while in session and within the prescribed by the Statute - That on the 18 day of November 1839 We Caused a copy whereof is hereto attached Marked B to be duly served on the above named Price and Hunt and we also Caused notice of a copy of which is also hereto attached Marked C to be duly served on Storms Arnold an applicant for said road ----- We further Certify that at the time and place mentioned in said notice we met for the purpose of hearing the proofs and alligations of the parties and after hearin the proofs and alligations of the parties we do adjudge and Decide that the appeal was well taken and that in our opinion there is no Legal road laid out and esstablished agreeable to the Statute. We further Certify that the ----- proceedings were Suspended the Length of time prescribed by the Statute before taking any action on Said appeal

Dated November 28 th 1839

Isaac I Voorheis ) Oakland  
George Brownell ) County Com

Recorded Dec 26 1839

True Copy

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

I hereby Certify that I have a copy of the within notice on the within named Storms Arnold by reading the Same in his hearing and Leaving a Copy of the Same this 18 day of Nov 1839

fees I served one notice (?)	7
Service	13
Copy	13
Oath	13
	46

Sworn and Sub before me this 28 day of Nov 1839

Isaac I Voorheis J P

I hereby Certify that I have Served a copy of the within notice on the within named Jacob Price and Henry Hunt by reading the Same in their Hearing and Leaving a copv at the Same time

Brandon Nov 28 1839

Fees	
Traveling 9 miles	63
2 copys	25
2 service	25
Cath	25
	138

Sworn and Subscribed before me this 28 th, 1839

Isaac I Voorheis J P

True Conv recorded Dec 26 th 1839



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Survey of a public Highway on the Town Line on the north Side of Section five and one Chain and fifty Links west of the quarter post and running from thence South thirty four degrees East one chain and ninety two Links thence South three and one half degrees East forty chains to the Center of Said Section to a public Highway

Recorded March 22 th 1840

Henry Hunt ) highway  
John Tobey ) Commissioner

We do hereby release to the Town of Groveland all Claims to damage by reason of Laying out and opening a public Highway through our Land by order of the Highway Commissioners dated 25 th day of February 1840

In witness whereof we have Set our hands and Seals the day and date above written

A true Copy recorded March 22 th 1840

Asahel Fuller  
Michael Ayres

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Survey of a public Highway Laid out on the application of A Fuller and by the Consent of A Fuller and Michael Ayres through whose improved lands the Said highway is to pass for a part of the distance Commencing at the Center of the Saganaw Turnpike near A Fuller and on the Section Line between Section 20 & 29 and running from thence west along Said Line and the between Sections 19 & 30 to the Town Line

In witness whereof we have Set our hands this 25 day of February 1840

Recorded March 22 1840

Henry Hunt ) Com of  
John Tobey ) Highways

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Survey of a public Highway Beginning at the Corner of Sections 14,15,22,23, thence South  $87\frac{1}{2}$  degrees W. 67 chains and 50 Links thence N 23 degrees E 7 chains the N 63 degrees E 10 chains thence N 56 degrees E 7 chains and 60 Links thence N 74 degrees E 9 chains and 50 Links thence N 53 degrees east 5 chains and 58 Links thence North 65 degrees East 10 chains thence N 63 degrees East 33 chains thence South  $71\frac{1}{2}$  degrees E 12 chains and 89 Links thence S 62  $\frac{3}{4}$  degrees E 6 chains and 50 Links thence East 4 chains and 13 Links to the Town Line

Also, Beginning eighty rods South of the quarter post on the East Side of Section 11 thence South 47 degrees East 22 chains and 15 Links to the Line of Section 15 thence N 89 degrees E 21 chains and 67 Links to a quarter post thence South 1 degree East 50 chains and 50 Links to the Center of the Highway

Dated March 11 1840

Henry Hunt ) Highway  
Samuel Clements) Com

Recorded April 1 th 1840

Henry W Horton Town Clerk



Groveland Township records, cont  
Groveland Township records (cont)

Town of Groveland 1840

Doings of the Highway Commissioners

March 24 1840  
Road Dist No 1 to include Sections 1 and 12 and all of 2 and 11 except the West  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  and South West  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 2 and the west  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  and the West  $\frac{1}{2}$  of South west quarter of Section 11 and the north  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 13

Dist No 14 to include the East  $\frac{1}{2}$  Section 3 and 10 and the west  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the north W  $\frac{1}{4}$  and W  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  and the W  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the South West quarter Section 11 and the NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec 14 and NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 15

Dist No 15 to include South  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 13 and the NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  and the S  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 14 and the north  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 23 and the north  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 24

Dist No 17 to include N  $\frac{1}{2}$  Section 22 and the N  $\frac{1}{2}$  Section 21 the E  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of and the NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 20 and the E  $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  and the SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  17 and South  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 16 and the S  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 15

March 24 1840

Henry Hunt ) Highway

Samuel Clements )

John Tobey ) Commissioners

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Report of the Road Commissioners Which Sayeth that the whole No of day assessed for the Current Year of 1839 is 666 $\frac{1}{2}$  of which 562 $\frac{1}{2}$  was worked out 11 days not set by the Overseers of Highways To the Town Clerk

Henry Hunt ) Highway  
Samuel Clements )  
John Tobey ) Commissioners

March 24 1840

Henry W Horton Town Clerk

Amount audited for the Current year of 1839 is \$ 322.85

at A meeting of the Commissioners of Highways for the Town of Groveland for the purpose of deliberating on the Subject Matter of the application of Jacob Arnold for the laying out of A Highway it is hereby ordered and determined that A public Highway Shall be and the same hereby is laid out beginning at the Quarter Stake in the East side of Section 36 and running from thence westerly along the Quarter line of Said Section to the Quarter Stake Standing in the Section line dividng Sections 36 and 35 and from thence along the Quarter line of Section 35 to the Quarter Stake Standing in the west line of Said Section 35 and the line of the Said Survey is to be the Center of Said Highway

in witness whereof we the Said Commissioners of Highways have hereunto Subscribed their Names this 6 th day of April 1840

recorded April the 9 th 1840

A Downey Town Clerk

John Tobey ) Commissioners  
Samuel Clements of Highways



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Town of Groveland April the 8 th 1840

The Annual Township Meeting for The Township of Groveland was held at the House of Asahel Fuller agreeable to adjournment on Monday April 6 th inst

of the town Board present A.D.Perry Supervisor Henry Hunt and Henry W Horton Justices of the Peace and Hervey Mudge and Henry W Peck at which time Asahel Fuller was Elected for Supervisor had Sixty-two votes

Alexander Downey for Town Clerk fifty Six votes

Assessors

Henry W Peck fifty nine votes  
Hervey Mudge Sixty two votes  
Joseph Jennings Jr Sixty votes

Justices of the Peace

Joseph Jennings Jr for full term fifty seven votes  
Harris Stilson to fill vacancy Sixty two votes

Town Treasurer

Gabriel L Ogden Sixty two votes

Collector

John S Narrin fifty nine votes

Constables

Calvin Heusted fifty Eight votes  
John S Narrin fifty nine votes

School Inspectors

Gabriel L Ogden Sixty Votes  
Alexander Ter Bush Sixty Votes  
Alexander Downey fifty five Votes

Overseers of the Poor

Ashley Rathbone Sixty one Votes  
Thomas H Terwilligar Sixty Votes

Commissioners of Highways

James Henry fifty nine Votes  
John Tobey fifty Eight Votes  
Bela Cogshall fifty Eight Votes

Pound Master

Abraham D Perry fifty four

at which time the Overseers of Highway was Elected by Raising hand



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Road districts

the following Overseers of Highways took Oath to fulfill the duties of overseers for their respective districts

for Road district No 1

Norman Irish overseer

District No 2

Labin Jinks overseer

Road District No 3

John Heusted overseer

Road District No 4

Allin Campbell overseer

Road District No 5

Alexander Merwin overseer

Road District No 6

William P Heusted overseer

Road District No 7

Jacob More overseer

Road District No 8

Clark Burt overseer

Road District No 9

Nicholas Stevins overseer

Road District No 10

Henry Covert overseer

Road District No 11

Gabriel L Ogden overseer

Road District No 12

Constance Southworth overseer

Road District No 13

Mathew Coons overseer

Road District No 14

Varnis Maxfield overseer

Road District No 15

William L Narrin overseer

Voted that Bulls be free Commoners

Voted that rams Shall be free Commoners Except from the first of August till the first of December

Voted that Seed Hogs Shall be restrained from Running at Large after 3 Months old

Voted that Stud Horses over one year old Shall not run at Large

Voted that the town Shall pay five dollars for Each wolf killed in this town

Voted that the town pay fifty cents for Each fox killed in this town

Voted that the next Annual Town Meeting be held at the House



Groveland Township records ( cont )

of Asahel Fuller in Groveland section 8 & 17 and so forth in the said town of Groveland and the same was laid out and made ready for the public use.

We Certify that the before named persons Received the Majority of Votes for Officers Set to Their respective Names and was Declared Duely Elected also to the above By laws and regulations

Transacted at Groveland the 6 day of April 1840

Abraham D Perry Supervisor

Henry Hunt & Henry W Horton  
Justices of the peace  
H W Horton Town Clerk

By Alexander Downey T " C "

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Oakland County )

We the undersigned freeholders of said County neither resident of Groveland nor of kin to Erastus Burt, Being Summoned, and Sworn, to assess the damages sustained by the Said Erastus Burt Reason of the Laying out and opening of A Road through his Land in pursuance of an order of the Commissioners of Highways of said town of Groveland bearing date the 4 th day of April 1840 after having Viewed and Examined the premises, determon, & assess the Said damages of the Said Erastus Burt at \$7.50

Givin under our hands this 15 th day of April 1840

Names of Jurors )	
Elisha Grow Jr	
Lewis T Keeler	
Albert Arnold	
Noah Northrop	
William H Hewes	
John Smith	

Constables fees	3.00
Justices fees	.87 $\frac{1}{2}$
Jurors fees Each 50 Cents	3.00
	\$ 14. 37 $\frac{1}{2}$

The above verdict Certified by Henry Hunt Justice of the peace

True Copy  
recorded April the 29 th 1840

Alexander Downey Town Clerk

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AT A MEETING of the Commissioners of Highways of the town of Groveland on the 29 day of April 1840 present John Tobey Bela Cogshall & James Henry was present they proceeded to Lay out A Road, and the same is laid out hereby, Commencing at the Quarter Stake Standing



Groveland Township records ( cont '0

At the Quarter line between Sections 8 & 17 and running E as near the Section line as may be 160 rods ending at the Corner Stake between Sections 8,9,16,17. Said Road 4 rods wide

Recorded April 29 th 1840

Alexander Downey Town Clerk

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at A meeting of the assessors of the township of Groveland on the 30 th May 1840 the following names was returned as Jurors for the present year

Grand Jurors	(	Elbridge G Knowlton
	)	Gabriel S Ogden
petit Jurors	(	Thomas J Ewell
	)	Ezra Herrick
	)	John Tobey

Groveland May 30 th Alexander Downey Town Clerk

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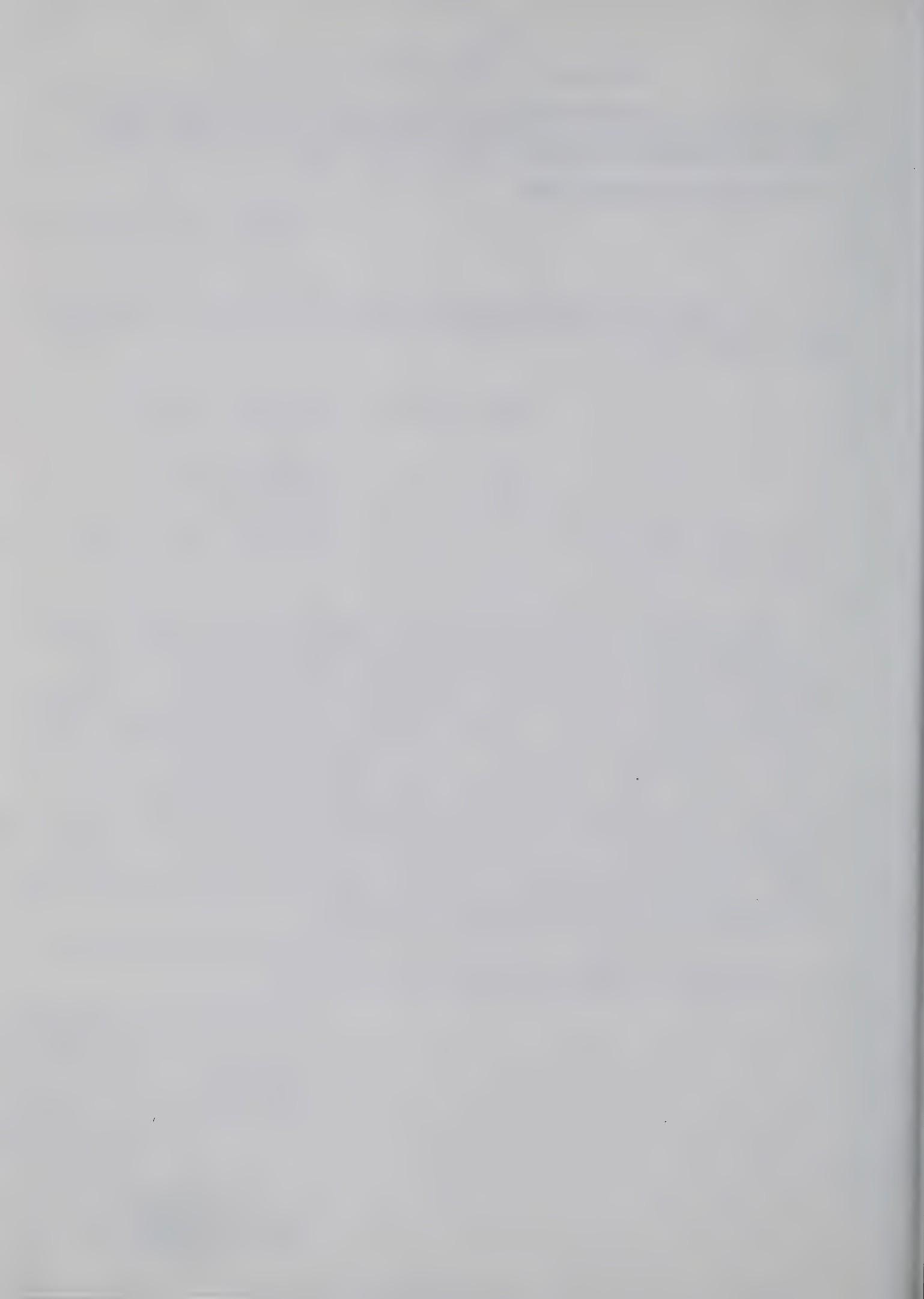
at A Meeting of the Commissioners of Highways of Towns Groveland and Springfield in the County of Oakland in the Said Town of Groveland on the 9 th day of May for the purpose of laying out a publick Highway upon the line between the Said Towns two of the Commissioners of Each of the Said Towns being present, it is ordered and determined that a publick Highway be laid out upon the line between the Said towns or as near thereto as the Convenience of the Ground will admit, Commencing at SE Corner of Section 34 Groveland and running west to the Centre of the Saginaw Turnpike and that the Said line as above described be the Centre of Said Highway, it is further ordered that the highway be divided into 2 road districts viz: that part thereof from the Centre of the Saginaw Turnpike East to the Subdivision line being 80 rods west of SW Corner 34 in Groveland Shall be allotted to the Said town of Groveland and the Residue of the laid Highway Shall be the other district of Said Road and Shall be allotted to the Said Town of Springfield

in Witness whereof the Said Commissioners have hereunto Subscribed their Names this 9 th day of May 1840

Bela Cogshall	)	Commissioner
	)	of Highways
	)	for the tow
John Tobey	)	of Groveland

Isaac J Losee	)	Commissioners
	)	of Highways
	)	for the tow
	)	of Spring-
A--(?) Hirst	)	field

Alexander Downey Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

I do hereby Release to the town of Groveland all Claim to damages by Reason of the Laying out and opening of A Highway through my Lands by order of the Commissioners of highways dated this 9 th day of May 1840

in Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand

Oliver Powelson  
Morris Powelson  
Thomas H Terwilligar  
Erastus Burt

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At A Meeting of the Highway Commissioners of the town of Groveland in the County of Oakland at Mr Petties in Said town on the 8 th day of June 1840 met & deliberated on the Subject of this order on the Application of Henry R Montgomery of Said Town for the Discontinuance of the road hereinafter described and on the Certificate of twelve freeholders disinterested in the Matter duly Summoned and Sworn who have in due form Certified that Said Road is useless & unnecessary & the Said Commissioners having Caused A Survey to be made as follows Commencing on the Quarter post on the North Side of Section 29 thence running South on the Quarter line 29 Chains & 46 links to the Centre of the United States Road it Ordered and determined by Said Commissioners that the Said Road be and the same is hereby Discontinued

in Witness Whereof we have hereunto Subscribed our names this 8 th day of June 1840

Bela Cogshall } Commissioners of Highways  
John Tobey }  
                }

Alexander Bowney Town Clerk

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At A Meeting of the Commissioners of highways for the town of Groveland at the house of William D Richmond in Said town two of Said Commissioners being present & deliberated on the Subject of this order it is ordered and determined by the Said Commissioners that A highway be laid out in the Said town Beginning at the NW Corner Section 25 running thence East 40 Chains to the Quarter Stake thence North 5 degrees E 5 Chains 72 links thence N 28 Degrees E 24 Chains 68 links thence N 55 degrees East 14 Chains 70 thence South 79 degree East 21 Chains to the Town line Said Highway running through Lands not improved Enclosed or Cultivated and by Consent of the Occupants thereof

in Witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 23 rd day of June 1840

E.R.Parshall Surveyor

Bela Cogshall } Commissioners of Highways  
                }



Groveland Township records ( cont. )

Recorded July the 6 th 1840

A Downey Town Clerk

At a Meeting of the Commissioners of Highways of the township of Groveland at the house of Benner Knickerbacker in said town on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June two of the Commissioners having met & deliberated on the Subject of this Order upon the application of James H Eastman & Constant Southworth persons liable to be assessed to work on the highways for the Laying out of the highway herein described & on the Certificate of 12 freeholders of said town convened and duly Sworn after due public Notice required by law Certifying that Such Highway is necessary and proper and Notice in writing of at Least 3 days having been given to Benner Knickerbacker & Henry R Montgomery Occupants of the lands through which the highway hereinafter Described is to run that the Commissioners of highways would Meet Said place to decide on the application aforesaid and they having heard all reasons for and against Laying out Such highway it is Ordered and determined & Certified that A public Highway is hereby Laid out Where of A Survey hath Been taken and is as follows to wit Beginning 5 Chains & 18 links E of the qr Post on the North Side of Sec 29 thence S 36 Chains to a post thence S, 8 degrees West 2 Chains 13 links to the Centre of the United States Road & Said Survey to be the Centre of Said highway

in witness whereof we have hereunto Set our hands

Ezra K Parshall Surveyor

James Henry      ) Comm  
                    ) of  
Bela Cogshall    ) highways

Recorded July the 6 th 1840

Alexander Downey Town Clerk

Line of Road through Sections 1 & 12 in Groveland Oakland Co Michigan being part of the State Road from Flint to Pontiac which the undersigned Commissioners were Appointed to Lay  
Notes

Continuing Road from Section 36 Town of Atlas Lapeer Co . , and entering Sec 1 Groveland at Stake five chains E of NW Corner of Section 1 and thence S 29 3/4 E 22"20 to W oak 5 inches thence S 24 3/4 E 12 W to stake thence S 18 3/4 E 16.91 to stake thence S 33 3/4 21 W to W oak 8 inches; thence S 18 3/4 E 12.54 to B oak 9 inches; thence S 33 1/2 E 8.21 to poplar 12 inches; thence S 38 3/4 E 19 18 W oak 30 in; thence S 30 1/4 E 42.50 to Stake in town line 154 ch 54 lks

Algeiron Merryweather Surveyor

Vanat---(?) 1° 45 E

Chas C Waldo    ) State Commission-



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Recorded Novr 23 rd 1840

Alexander Downey Town Clerk

ALSO

At A Meeting of the Commissioners of Highways of the town of Groveland Oakland County and of the Commissioners of the town of Atlas in Lapeer County at the House of James Horton Esqr it is here -by ordered & determined that a highway be laid out Commencing at Sou East Corner of Section thirty four in town of Atlas in Lapeer County thence running west on Said line between the Said towns of Grove land & Atlas to the South East Corner of thirty two in Atlas & that t Said Highway be of the width of four Rods, & it is further determined that the Said Highway be divided into two Road districts, that part of the Said Road Commencing at the South East Corner of Sec 33 in Atlas be one of the Said Road districts <sup>and shall belong to the town of G-</sup> & the remainder of Said Highway be the other of the Said Road districts & Shall belong to the Said town of Atlas

Dated at Atlas this 9 th day of November 1840

Bela Cogshall )	Commissioners
	of Highway
James Henry )	of Groveland
Elias Danser )	Commissioners
	of Highway
Levi Preston )	of Atlas

Recorded November the 23 rd 1840

A Downey Town Clerk

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County of Oakland )  
State of Michigan )

Marked A

The Petition of John Mc gaffany respectfully presents to the County Commissioners of Oakland County on the Twenty third day of June last past Bela Cogshall John Tobey and James Henry Commissioners of Highways in & for the township of Groveland in Said County did on the afore mentioned day lay out A Public Highway through the North East Quarter of the South East Quarter of Section twenty four in the township of Groveland, Said land being the Property of your petitioner without Giving Public Notice thereof accord ing to the Statute in Such Case made and Provided Said lands being in a State of Cultivation - your Petitioner therefore does hereby Appeal from their determination to you the Said Commissioners of Oak land County requesting you to investigate the Matter and do what shall appear to your honors to wright and Just the premises

Groveland August the 10 th 1840

John Mc gaffany

Oakland County

State of Michigan



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Oakland County } Certify that I have served the within Notice  
} SS } Marked B  
State of Michigan }

To Bela Cogshall & James Henry & John Tobey Commissioners  
of Highways in & for the township of Groveland in Said  
County of Oakland

Gent: Notice is hereby given that a meeting of  
the Commissioners of Said County of Oakland will take place at the  
Inn of Mr Pettee in Said Township of Groveland at One O clock P.M.  
to take into Consideration your doings in Laying out A Certain High  
way Across the lands of John Mc gaffany in Said Township your  
doings in Said Matter beingAppealed from by Said Mc gaffany,  
yours respectfully

Isaac I Voorheis ) Oakland

John W Hunter ) County

Wm M Axford ) Commissioners

dated this 14 th day of November 1840

I do hereby Certify that I have served the within Notice on the  
within named Commissioners by reading the Same in their presence and  
delivering Copies thereof to James Henry and John Tobey

Groveland November the 16 th 1840

Nathaniel D Bingham

Fees

Travel 24 miles	\$1.64
2 Copies	25
3 Services	75
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	\$2.64

Sworn & Subscribed before me this 27 th day of November 1840

John W Hunter County Commissioner

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State of Michigan )  
County of Oakland ) SS To Alexander Downey

in the Name of the People of the State of Michigan you are hereby Commanded to be and appear with the Township Records of Highways of the Township of Groveland on Friday the 27 th day of November Inst at 1 O clock P.M. at the Inn of Mr Pettee in Said Township of Groveland then and there to give Such Evidence as may be required respecting Said records hereof fail not at your peril Givin under our hands this 14 th day of November A.D 1840

Isaac I Voorheis Chairman

of Oakland County Commissioners



Groveland Township records (cont.) —

I do hereby Certify that I have served the within Subpoena by delivering a true Copy thereof to the within named Alexander Downey  
Groveland November the 16<sup>th</sup> 1840

Nathaniel D Bingham

Fees

Travil 9 miles	"	"	.54
Copy 1			.12
one Service - 2			<u>.25</u>
			.94

in the Matter of an appeal from the doings of Bela Cogshall John Tobey & James Henry Commrs of Highways for the township of Groveland Oakland County and State of Michigan and John Mc gaffany appellant

we John W Hunter and William Axford County Commissioners in & for the County of Oakland hereby Certify that an appeal hereto attached Marked A was duly Served on us while in Session and within the time prescribed by Statute - that on the Sixteenth day of November we Caused a Notice a copy whereof is hereunto attached Marked B to be duly Served on the above named Cogshall Tobey & Henry we further Certify that at the time & place mentioned in Said Notice we met for the purpose of hearing the proofs and Allegations of the Parties in Said Matter we do adjudge & describe that the appeal is well taken and that in our Oppinion there is no legal road laid out & Established according to law we further Certify that the proceedings were Suspended the length of time prescribed by Statute before taking any Action on the appeal

Givin under our hands this 21<sup>st</sup> day of December 1840

John W Hunter ) County  
                  ) Commission  
Wm M Axford   ) -ers

A True Copy  
Recorded January the 6<sup>th</sup> 1841

Alexander Downey Township  
Clerk

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At a Meeting of the Commissioners of Highways of Groveland and the Commissioners of Highways of Brandon Both of Oakland County at the House of B Phelps it is hereby Ordered & determined that A Public Highway be laid out Commencing 24 Rods west of the N.E. Corner of Section 1 in Groveland thence South E 24 chains 50 links thence South 64 E, 6 chains to the line between Groveland & Brandon thence South on said line 105 chains 50 links to the Centre of the Pontiac road & it is further Ordered the Said Road be divided into two Road Districts, that part of Said Road Commencing 24 rods west of the NE Corner of Section 1 in Groveland & running South to the South Bank i of the Kersley Creek Shall be one of the Said Road districts & Shall belong to the Said town of Brandon & that part of Said Road Commenc- ing at the South Bank of the Kersley Creek & running South to the



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Centre of the Pontiac Road Shall be the Other of the Said Road Districts & Shall belong to the town of Groveland  
and forever.  
dated at Groveland this 25 th day of Decr 1840

Bela Cogshall } Road Comm-  
                  } issioners  
James Henry    } for Grovelan

John Bird ) B) as Comm'r  
              ) for  
Thomas Hunter) Brandon

this is to Certify that we the undersigned do hereby release  
all our Claims for damage by Reason of the Laying out and opening  
of A Public Highway through our Lands by Order of the Commissioners  
of Highways of Groveland

Groveland Decr 25 th 1840 Calvin Hills

Benjamin Phelps

Recorded February the 1<sup>st</sup> 1841

Alexander Downey Town Clerk.

At A Meeting of the Commissioners of Highway of the town of Groveland on the 20<sup>th</sup> day 1841 at the House of Dellno Horton we do hereby determine that a Road Shall be laid as follows to wit, Commencing in the Centre of Section Eight in the Centre of a Road in Said place in Said town thence N  $3\frac{1}{2}$  W 26 chns to a Stake near a Black Ash tree thence N 19 E 15 Chains and 25 links to a Stake thence N  $8\frac{1}{2}$  E 10 ch & 50 links to a Black Oak tree thence N  $14\frac{1}{2}$  W 23 ch & 25 links to a W oak tree Eight inches in diameter thence N 39 W 5 ch & 71 links to the Centre of the Road Running North & South through the --- of Sec 5 in Said town

James Henry ) Commissioners  
                  ) of  
John Tobey   ) Highways

Road District No 4

Also at A Meeting of the Commissioners of Highways of the town  
of Groveland at the House of E N Pettee on the 23 rd day of March  
they did Set off the N  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 18 and the South  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Sec 7  
into a Road district So Called N- and the Remainder which formerly  
Composed Said District No 4 be henceforth Called Road district No  
16

Also Road District No 17 at Said time & place they the Said Commissioners did Set into a Seperate Road district to wit SW qr Sec 18 S $\frac{1}{2}$  of 17 E $\frac{1}{2}$  of SE qr Sec 18 N $\frac{1}{2}$  of Sec 20 & NW qr of Sec 21 by the name and title of Road district No 17 to run west as far as the Thrid ( or Thrix ) River.

Bela Cogshall ) Road  
James Henry ) Commissioners  
John Tobey )



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Sixteen foxes killed in Groveland for which bounty was Claimed and Allowed

March 30 1841

Alexr Downey town Clerk

Road District No 18 to Contain all of Section 1 Except the west  $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW qr also the E $\frac{1}{2}$  of S 12

the undersigned Commissioners of Highways of the town of Grove land render their Annual Account to the town Board on the 23 day of March 1841 -

the amount of labour assessed on the town during the Year ending on the date hereof is Seven hundred and fifty one according to the Returns from the Overseers of Highways Commissioners have received from Nonresident Highway Taxes received under the Statutes Relative to Highways the Sum of thirty four dollars from the Treasurer of Oak land County and it has been Expended in the following manner to wit

for Repairing the Roads in Section one the Sum of	\$14.66
for Building 6 rods & 3 feet Crossway Sec No 6 for 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ days work	1.56
Sec No 8 Building 16 rods of Crossway	6.25
9 for 6 days work	1.56
10 for 6 rods Crossway	4.68
12 for 6 do do	4.48
the whole No of days actually worked is 630 $\frac{1}{2}$	

Given under our hands this 23 day of March 1841

Bela Cogshall )  
                        ) Commissioner  
James Henry     )

the Amount audited for the town of Groveland for the year ending April 1841 is \$263.78

A Downey Town Clerk

the Annual Township Meeting was held in the town of Groveland on the 5 th day of April 1841 at the House of E N Pettee in Said town at which time the following Officers was Chosen or received the Majority of Votes

for Supervisor Elbridge G Knowlton had	82 votes
Town Clerk Alexander Terbush	93 votes
Town Treasurer William L Narrin	85 do
for Justice Constitutional Term Henry Hunt	59 "
to fill Vacancy William H Putnam	96



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Assessors	( Abram D Perry ( Erastus Burt ( Joseph Jennings	88 do 95 " 51 "
Collector	Calvin Heusted	48
Highway Commissioners	( William Vansteenberg ( Samuel Clemons ( Clark Burt	91 93 93
for School Inspectors	( Gabriel S Ogden ( Amos Orton ( Elisha H Marsh	80 91 50
Overseers of the poor	( Ashley Rathbon ( James Henry	76 71
Constables	( John S Narrin ( Calvin Heusted ( Calvin Mills ( Dewit C Narrin	62 81 77 56
Poundmaster	Abram D Perry	
Seal Master for weights & Measures		1

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Groveland May 1 st 1841

At a Meeting of the Commissioners of highways in and for the township of Groveland at the house of Gabriel S Ogden in said town on the 1 st day of May all the Com<sup>s</sup> having met and Deliberated on the Subject of this Order upon the application of Wm Lane a person liable to be assessed to work on the highway for the laying out of a highway herein described and on the Certificate of twelve free-holders of said town Convened and duly sworn after due public notice required by law Certifying that such highway is necessary and proper and Notice in Writing of at least three days having been given to o owners of the land through which the highway hereafter described is to run that the Commissioners of highways did meet at said place to decide on the application aforesaid and they having heard all reasons for and against laying out such highway it is ordered and determined and Certified that a public highway is laid out Whereof a Survey has been taken and is as follows to Wit Beginning at the section Corner between Sec 27, 28, 33 & 34 thence S~~E~~86 $\frac{1}{2}$  deg. W on the section line 24 chs thence S 53 $\frac{1}{2}$  deg W 12 chs & 50 links thence S 72 deg W 6 chs & 50 links to a white oak tree thence N 57 $\frac{1}{2}$  deg W 14 chs 50 links to the section line thence S~~E~~86 $\frac{1}{2}$  deg W on said section line 13 chains thence S 23 deg W 5 chains & 8 links thence S 65 $\frac{1}{2}$  deg W 3 chains 44 links thence S 18 deg W 4 chains and 15 links to the Centre of the United States highway Town 5 N Range 8 East

Ezra Parshall Surveyor

Recorded May 8 st 1841

Wm Vansteenberg ) Coms  
Clark Burt ) of



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At a Meeting of the Commissioners of highway in and for the town of Groveland it is hereby Determined that a highway is laid out the Survey of Whereof is as follows

Beginning at the SE corner of Sec 8 thence S 87 deg W on the section line 18 chs and 50 links thence S 70 deg W 1 chs & 50 links to thence 87 W 20 chs and 12 links to the centre of a highway running North from the qr stake on the South side of Said Section

Samuel Clemens ) Coms  
                  )  
Clark Burt      ) highway

Recorded May 9 th 1841

Alexander Ter Bush Town Cle:

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Groveland

At a Meeting of the Commissioners of highways in and for the tow of Groveland It is hereby Determined that a highway is laid out the Survey Whereof is as follows

Beginning 20 Chains East of the South West Corner of Section 16 thence N 2 3/4 deg W 79 d 50 links to the Centre of a highway runing Easterly and Westerly Between Sect's 4 and 9

Also Beginning at the North West Corner of Sect 4 thence South 2 3/4 deg E 49 chains to the Centre of a highway runing Easterly and Westerly through Sect 4

E.R.Parshall Surveyor

The above is hereby ratified and become a public highway from and after this Date May 15 1841

Samuel Clemens ) Coms  
                  )  
Clark Burt      ) highway

Recorded May 24, 1841

Alexander TerBush Town Cler:

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To the Commissioners of highways of the town of Groveland in the County of Oakland. The undersigned a resident of said town liable to be Assessed for highway labour hereby Makes Application to you for the Discontinuance of the road in Said town Commencing at the Northwest Corner of section 34 and runing from thence Westerly along the North of Section 33 and angling on section 33 and so on to the Saginaw turnpike on the ground of its having become useless and unnecessary  
Dated the 18 th day of Sept 1841

Henry Hunt

Alexander TerBush Township  
Clerk

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We the undersigned Disinterested freeholders of the town of Groveland having met at the house of Gabriel S Ogden on this Eighteenth day of Sept in pursuance of the Summons of the Commissioners of highways of said town in order to examine and Certify in regard to the



Groveland Township records ( cont )

propriety of discontinuing the road laid out through the land of John and Wm McGinnis Ezra Herrick Wm Lane and Alexander TerBush and after being sworn and viewed said road do Certify that the same is our opinion Useless and Unnecessary & Witness Whereof we have hereunto Subscribed our Names Sept 18 th 1841

Anthony Redfield  
Wm D Richmond  
Linus Lamb  
Bela Cogshall  
Wm Cowles  
Simon Stephens  
Morris Powelson  
Nicholas Stephens  
Alvah Powelson  
Jacob Arnold  
Oliver Powelson  
Ashley Rathbun

Alexander TerBush Town Clerk

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We the undersigned Commissioners of highways of the town of Groveland in the County of Oakland having Convened at the house of Gabriel S Ogden on the Eighteenth day of September Inst for the purpose of Deliberating on the discontinuance of a road Commencing at the Northwest Corner of Section 34 and runing from thence Westerly along the line of section 33 and 28 and Angling on section 33 and so on to the Saganaw turnpike as was determined to be a publick highway by the Commissioners of highway of the town of Groveland for the year one thousand and eight hundred and forty one and Caused the same to be recorded in a Book of the Office of the town Clerk

We the Said Commissioners after having it Certified upon the Oath of twelve freeholders to be Useless and Unnecessary Do Order the Same to be Discontinued as a road

Given Under our hands this 18 th day of Sept 1841

Recorded Sept 19 1841

Clark Burt      ) Com of  
                  )  
Wm Vansteenberg ) highway

Alexander TerBush Township  
Clerk

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This May Certify that I William B Eckler of the town of Groveland in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan do hereby give up to My Son William R Eckler the full right and title to his Minor ship to have all his wages and transact all his business for himself untill he becomes of the age of twenty one which will be on the Seventeenth Day of March 1845

Given Under my hand at Groveland this 29 th day of Sept 1841  
In presence of Henry Hunt

Wm B Eckler

Recorded Oct 1 st 1841

Alexander TerBush Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont. )

Came into the inclosure of Nicholas Stephens a grey horse with Brown legs and a few black hairs at the end of each ear -

Nov 16 th 1841, Groveland

Alexander TerBush Town Clerk

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Came into the inclosure of Henry Coggshall in the town of Grove-land one two years old steer a dark red with a white brush at the end of the tail

Also a dark red heifer two years old heifer with no brush at the end of the tail

Recorded Dec 6 th 1841

Alexander TerBush Town Clerk

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At a Meeting of the Commissioners of Highway in and for the town of Groveland County of Oakland and State of Michigan at the house of Avery Worth on the 5 day of June 1841

We do hereby order that a Highway Shall be laid out the survey of which is as follows to Wit -

Commencing at the qr post on the south side of Section Nine and North Side of Section 16 thence North 3 deg East 22 chains to the Centre of a road running North and South through Section 9 thence North in the Centre of said road from the termination of the above Described road 20 chains and 76 links thence North 83 $\frac{1}{2}$  deg East 31 chains and 75 links to a stake thence North 65 deg East 7 chains and 50 links to a stake thence North 32 deg E 24 chains to a stake thence North 10 deg East 26 chains and 50 links to a stake the Centre of a road running North and South between Sections 10 and 11

Recorded Nov 4 th 1841

Samuel Clemens      )      Com<sup>S</sup>  
                        )  
Clark Burt           )      highways

Alexander TerBush Township Clerk

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Whereas the office of town Clerk has been vacated in consequence of Alexander TerBush Moving out of the Said town it is ordered by the Said town board of Said town that Calvin Heusted be appointed to fill Said vacancy in place of Alexander TerBush

Given under our hands this 16 day of March 1842

Wm H Putnam      .      Henry Hunt

E G Knowlton      .      Henry W Horton

Horace Stilson



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At a Meting of the Commissioners of the highway of the town of Groveland held at the house of S C Monsons on the 22 day of March 1841 present Samuel Clements and Clark Burt at which time and place the following road Dist was organized and ordered to be recorded to meet road Dist No 19 to include Section 36 and the east half of Section 35 also a road running east to the town line N of 36 and South 25 and road Dist No 20 to include the north west quarter of section 6

Samuel Clemons

Clark Burt

Calvin Heusted Town Clerk

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the whole amount audeted in the town of Groveland for the Curren Year of 1841 is one hundred and fifty seven dollars and fifty two ct Groveland March 12 1842

ordered by the township board

Calvin Heusted Town Clerk

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We the undersined doe heareby release unto the town of Groveland the land for a publick highway through landes now owned by us on section 12 ---- one  
Groveland March the 26 1842

Calvin Mills

Bengamin Phelps

Amos Orton

John Britten Jr

Calvin Heusted Town Clerk

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At a Meeting of the Commissioners of Highway of the Township of Groveland Oakland County State of Michigan at the house of Samuel Clemons on the 26 day of March 1842 We the undesined Commissioners of Highway of Said Township do hereby order that an altratin Shall be made in the Pontiac rdd runing through Section 12 in Said town and County as follows to with

Comenceing 10 d South of the  $\frac{1}{4}$  Post on Town line on the East Side of section 12 thence 34 --- W 43 ch to a stake thence N  $28\frac{1}{4}$  W 12 ch to the Senter of the Pontiac road

J G Horton Surveyor

Samuel Clemons ) Comision  
                  ) -ers of  
Clark Burt      ) highway

Calvin Heusted Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At a meeting of the commissioners of highways on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of March 1842 it is hereby ordered & determined that a road District be organized Known as road District No 21 and shall include the following parts of sections viz the East half of Section 35 the South half of the South East Quarter of 27 the South west Quarter of the South Quarter of 26 and the East half of the South West Quarter of Section 66

Clark Burt

William Van Steenbergh

Samuel Clemens

Calvin Heusted Town Clerk

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Report of the Road Commissioners for the Current year of 1842  
which Saveth the whole number of days assessed for Said year as 609 $\frac{1}{2}$   
days and the number of days actually worked is 533 $\frac{1}{2}$  no money rec'd  
for fines or Commutation and no improvements on the roads and Bridges  
but that done by highway Labour and for this do not think proper to  
raise any money for the suport of Said road and Bridges

Groveland March 24 1842

Samuel Clemens

William VanSteenbergh

Clark Furt

Calvin Heusted Town Clerk

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The annual Township Meetin was held in the town of Groveland on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 1842 at the hous of Samuel C Munson in said town at which time the following Officers was chosen or received the Major -ity of votes

For Supervisor Henry W Horton 60 votes

Town Clerk William L Narrin 65 do

Town Treasurer      Calvin Heusted      65 "

For Justis Constitutional Term Samuel C Munson 66

(Joseph Jennings Jr 61)

For Assessors (Henry W Peck 60

Highway Commissioners ( Samuel Clemons 73  
                                  ( Dewitt C Narrin 72  
                                  ( Clark Burt 59

for School Inspectors ( Alexander Downey 56  
( Wm H Putmon 112  
( Joel Bardwell 63



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Overseers of the poor	{	Henry R Montgomery	112
	{	Benner Knickerbocker	112
Constables	{	Calvin Heusted	100
	{	Calvin Mills	75
	{	Olaver Sharls	67
	{	Westel Mudge	62
Pound Master		Jacob More	

I have apointed Dewitt C Narrin Deputy Clerk

Overseers of Highways

Road District No 1	Steppen Woodruff	overseer
Road District No 2	Nathaniel Peck	overseer
Road District No 3	Gehial Gardner	overseer
Road District No 4	Solomon Toby	overseer
Road District No 5	Avery Worth	overseer
Road District No 6	John Hadley	overseer
Rode District No 7	Jacob More	overseer
Rode District No 8	Isaac Case	overseer
Road District No 9	Linas Lamb	overseer
Roaede District No 10	Thadies Herriman	overseer
Roaede District No 11	Thomas H Teaweligar	overseer
Road District No 12	Benner Knickerbacker	overseer
Road District No 13	Emerson Ewell	overseer
Road District No 14	Varnas Maxfield	overseer
Road District No 15	George D Terry	overseer
Road Dist No 16	Henry W Horton	overseer
Road Dist No 17	A D Perrv	overseer
Road Dist No 18	Joseph Tucker	overseer
Road Dist No 19	Stormes Arnold	overseer
Dist No 20	John Heusted	overseer
Dist No 21	Henry Hunt	overseer



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Voted two dollars bounty paid for each woolf caught and kild in town

Voted all Eore hoges shall be restrand from runing at large over four months oald penalty 5 dollars

Voted that rams be restrained from the first of August to 18 of Dec under the penalty of three dollars

Voted that Town meeting be at the House of Samuel C Munson

I Have apointed Dewitt C Narrin Deputy Clerk Groveland April 9 th in the year 1842

Wm C Narrin Township Clerk

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Survey of a Publick Highway  
Groveland June 18 1842

Minitis of a Highway Begining at the quarter Post on the West Side of section two thence North 87° East 50 Chains thence South four and a quarter Degrees East thirty nine Chains and seventy nine Links to the Center of a Highway on the South Side of Section two Town five North of Range Eight East

We the Com<sup>s</sup> of Highway hereby ratify the same to be a Highway

E R Parshall surveyor

Samuel Clemons } Com<sup>s</sup>  
 } of H  
Clark Burt } Ways

Recorded June 20 th 1842

William L Narrin Township Clerk

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We the undersined do release unto the township of groveland the land for a Road throug land know owned by us without pay for the same on Sec two

Groveland June 18 th 1842

Samuel Clemmions

John Y Porritt

B.F.Sawyer

Saml C Baldwin

Recorded June 20 th 1842

Wm L Narrin Township Cler

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1842  
Survey of a publick highway Town 5 N, R 8 E Groveland, June 20,

Alteration Begining at the SE Corner of the West half of the NW qr of Sect 19 thence S 29° E 5 chs to a B Oak thence S 51½° W 5 chs and 28 Links to a hickory stocdle thence S 83° W 12 Chs and



50 Links to the qr post on the E side of Sect 24 in the Town of Stanly the above is hereby ratified and become a publick Highway acording to Law

E K Parshall Surveyor

Clark Burt      ) Com<sup>s</sup>  
                  ) H  
Samuel Clemons } Way

Recorded June 20 th 1842

Wm L Narrin Township Clerk

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On this seventh day of November in the year 1842 we the undersigned did apoint Calvin Heusted treasure of the town of groveland the above office being vacant

Henry W Horton Supervisor

Wm L Narrin town Clerk

Henry Hunt      )  
                  )  
Wm H Putnam     ) Justices

Recorded November 8 th 1842

Wm L Narrin Town Clerk

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Field Notes of a Highway Begining at the qr post on the West side of Section 23 thence North 3° West 2 chanes thence N 39° E 7 chs 50 Links thence N, 56° E 4 chs thence N, 20° E 9 Chs 50 Links thence N, 32° E 13 Chs thence N, 3° W 35 Chs - thence N, 25° W 19 Chs thence N, 39° W, 3 Chs 50 Links thence N, 10° W, 5 chs 50 Limks thence N, 54° W, 14 Chs and 25 Links to the Center of a Highway running North and South

The above is hereby ratified and become a publick Highway Acording to Law in Town 5 North Range 8 East

E K Parshall Surveyor

Samuel Clemons   ) Com<sup>s</sup>  
                  )  
Clark Burt       ) H.Ways

I hereby release the land of any claim through which the above Highway is laid out through that is to Say four Rods in Width throug My Land

Dewitt C Narrin

Recorded November 11 th 1842

Wm L Narrin Town Clerk

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Groveland November 19 th 1842, Survey of a publick Highway

Beginning at the N.W. corner of 36 thence S 87 E 7.82 links thence N 65½ E 7.50 Links thence S 30 E 5.50 Links thence N 35 E 9.50 Links thence N 27 E 12.50 Links thence S 87 E 33 Chs to the town line



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Begining Seven Chs and Eighty two Links East of the N.W. Corner of Sect 36 thence S 28° W 12 Chs thence S 46° W 8 Chs and 60 Links to the Center of a Highway runing North and South

the above minits is hereby ratified and becomes publick Highway

E K Parshall Surveyor

Samuel Clemons      ) Coms  
D.C.Narrin          ) of  
Clark Burt          ) Highway

We do hereby release to the town of Groveland all claimes to damages by reason of the Laying out and opening of a highway through our lands by order of the Commissioners of highways dated this 19 day of November 1842 -

In witness whereof we have hereto set our hands and Seal this 19 day of November 1842

Witness

Ezra R Parshall

Harvey Hudge    L S  
William Lowrie   L S  
John Andrew     L S  
Archibald Cogshall L S

Recorded November 19 th 1842

Wm L Narrin Town Clerk

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Whereas application hath been made by twelve respectabl free-holders of the town of Groveland to the township board of said town to call a Speci al township meeting that it may be decided by the leagal voters of Said town wether a certain judgment and costs ob-tained against Samuel Clemons Clark Burt and D.C.Narrin Commiss-ioners of highways Wm H Putnam justice of the peace and Calvin Mills Const Shall be paid by the taxable inhabitants of said town or not

It is hereby ordered by said Board that a Special township Meeting be held at the last place of holding the anual township meeting in said town on the 20 th day of December Inst the said meeting to open at 9 O.Clock A.M. and close at three in the afternoon of said day

Made the 1 st day of December in the year 1842

Henry W Norton Supervisor

Henry Hunt      ) Justice of  
Wm H Putnam    ) the peace

Recorded December 2 th 1842

Wm L Narrin town Clerk

A Special township meeting was held at the House of Samuel C Munsons on the 20 day of December Inst 1842 for the purpos of takin into Consideration the propriety of paying a judgment obtained against the Commissioners of said township and Wm H Putnam a jus-tice of the peace and Calvin Mills a Constable also of said township voted the Township to pay the judgment and cost by a majority of votes --- there was one hundred and twenty one votes pold 68 for



Groveland Township records ( cont )

the town to pay it and 53 for the officers to pay it

Recorded December 21 th 1842

Wm L Karrin township Clerk

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Reports of the road Commissioner of the Town of Groveland for the Current year 1842 Which Sayeth first that the whole number of days assessed in Said Town is 681½ dayes but owing to the imperfect returns of the Overseers of Roads List for said Town it is impossible to say how much of said labor has bin performed we believe the greater part of Said worke has bin duley wrought and Second there has no Money Come into our hands for fines or Commutations - and further we do not believe it proper to raise any Money for the support of Said highways and Bridges

Groveland March 18 th 1843

Clark Burt

E.C.Karrin

Wm L Karrin Town Clerk

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The Anuel Township Meeting was held in the township of Groveland on the 5 day of April A D 1843 at the House of Samuel C Munson in said town at which time the followin Officers was Chosen or received the Majority of votes

for Supervisor	Henry W Norton	72 votes
Town Clerk	Alex Downey	79
Town Treasure	Amos Orton	71
for Justic Constitution term	Henry W Horton	71
for School Inspectors	Wm H Putnam	71
	Elishar H Marsh	70
	Henry Montgomery	65
for Assessors	Esrah Herick	67
Com of Highways	Dareas Thayer	134
	Jacob Arnold	129
	Wm Vanstenburg	74
Overseeors of the Poor	Samuel C Munson	69
	David G Survis	70
Constables	Calvin Mills	86
	Henry R Montgomery	130
	Luman G Heusted	170
	Harleby Patten	72



Groveland Township records ( cont )

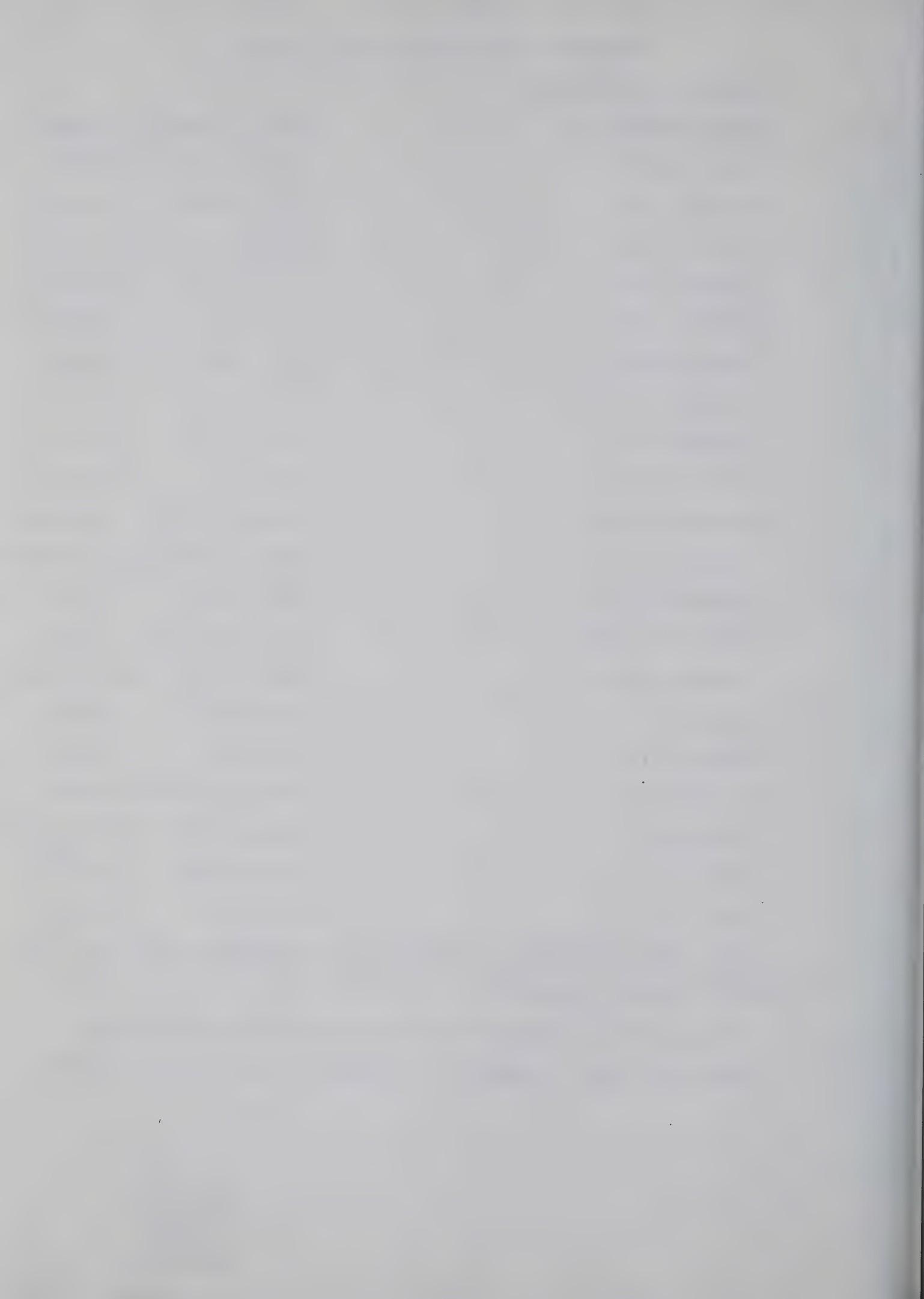
Overseers of Highways

Road District No 1	Samuel Clemons	overseer
Road District No 2	James G Quick	overseer
District No 3	John McCracken	overseer
District No 4	Thomas Phips	overseer
District No 5	Seth J Wicker	overseer
District No 6	John Hadley	overseer
District No 7	Jacob More	overseer
District No 8	Harvey Mudge	overseer
District No 9	John Pettis	overseer
District No 10	John Lacy	overseer
District No 11	Gabriel S Ogden	overseer
District No 12	Henry R Montgomery	overseer
District No 13	Lewis North	overseer
District No 14	Isaac Titsworth	overseer
District No 15	Robert Eliet Seamon	overseer
Dist No 16	John Tobey	overseer
Dist No 17	Hosa Loran	overseer
Dist No 18	Benjamin Phelps	overseer
Dist No 19	Benjamin Ke or R Jeys	overseer
Dist No 20	John Heusted	overseer
Dist No 21	Dan R Lord	overseer

Voted Rams be restrain from the 18 t of August until the first of December under the penalty of 5 dollars forfeitur the money is to Benefit publick schools

Voted 3 dollars bounty on each wool caut and kild in town

Voted that this Meeting be adjourned at the hous of E.N.Petty



Groveland Township records ( cont )

April 1 st 1844 Groveland Oakland County

Received of Amos Orton Treasurer of the above town one Hundred Sixty Six dollars & Twenty five Cents in town orders also

there remains in his hands twenty two dollars 28/100 in Cash which is the Ballance in full of town money now on hand

Alexander Downey Town Clerk

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Jessey A Manning

Came into my inclosure in Groveland on the first day of November Instant one dark Brindle Stag with one Slit in his right Ear with a little white on his Belly Supposed to be Coming four years old the owner is hereby Notified to prove property pay Charges and take him away

Dated at Groveland this 15 th day of November 1844

Alex. Downey T Clerk

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At the General Election held in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland in the State of Michigan on the first Monday of November and the day following at which time and place the ballots were as follows for Governor and Lieutenant Governor there was two hundred and fifty nine given for the following persons

Seventy two of them for  
Seventy of them wer for  
fifty five of them for  
fifty Six of them for James B Larue  
three of them for  
three of them for

John S Barry  
Origen D Richardson  
Zina Pitcher  
  
J G Burney  
Luther F Stevens

for Congress

was one hundred and twenty seven and they were given for the following persons

James B Hunt  
Thomas J Drake  
William Kenfield

Sixty three of them  
had Sixty two of them  
had two of them

the whole number of votes given for Representatives was seven hundred and Eighty five and they were given for the following persons

Sixty three of them for  
fifty four of them to Elbridge G Knowlton  
fifty nine of them to  
Sixty four of them to  
Sixty of them to  
Sixty two of them to  
Eighty of them to  
Sixty four of them to  
Sixty two of them to  
Sixty four of them to

William A Pratt  
Agustus C Baldwin  
Pliney Powers  
John Davis  
William Snell  
Henry W Horton  
Thomas Johnston  
Heman Castle  
Stephen L Gage



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Sixty four of them to	Benjamin P Wixom
Sixty four of them to	James Gow
one	Erastus Ingersole
two of them to	William G Stone
three of them to	Jessy Tenny
three of them to	George Sugden
three of them to	Joseph Morrison
three of them to	John Thomas

( Note - on margin of page is written - Senators had Niles  
fifty nine- Hart Sixty two )

Recorded Nov the 10 th 1843

Alex Downey town Clerk

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Came into the inclosure of Joseph Marsh on the first day of November one 1845 one two year old Steer one Slit in the right Ear Brindle, with white on the belly the owner is requested to prove property pay Charges and take it away

Groveland November the 4 th 1845

Joseph Marsh

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Came into the enclosure of Henry S Heusted on the 1 st day of November instant one white ram the owner thereof is requested to prove property pay Charges and take him away

Groveland November 4 th 1845

Henry S Heusted

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Came into the enclosure of Thomas Petherbridge of Groveland on the first day of November 1845 one red and white two years old heifer with Star in its face the owner thereof is required to prove property pay Charges and take her away

Groveland Nov the 5 th 1845

Thomas Petherbridge

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Alexander Downey Town Clerk

Came into the enclosure of Seth J Wicker on the first day of November last one yearling heifer dark Brindle  
the owner is hereby Required to prove property pay Charges and take it away

Groveland Dec<sup>r</sup> the 2 nd 1845

Seth J Wicker

Alexander Downey Town Clerk



Groveland Township records (- cont )

At A Meeting of the township board Convened at the Narrin School house on the first day of April 1845

present Amos Orton Supervisor  
Henry W Horton Justice of the peace  
Thomas H Terwilligar ditto  
Alexander Downey Town Clerk

they did then and there Settle with the Inspectors of Primary Schools the amount of School Public Money applied to the Several School districts was Ninety four dollars and thirty Six Cents

Amos Orton Supervisor

at the above Meeting they did receive the Return or Certificate of the Highway Commissioners for the a mount of Highway labour asses-ed by them for the Said town for the Current year the amount of the Returns of the overseers of Highways that was actually worked was five hundred and fifty days and one half day and that returned for takes was Seventy five days and the whole number of days work assess-ed on the Highways for Said town was Six hundred and twenty five days work and one half day

Alexander Downey Town Cler

\$130 The amount of Money Raised to defray the Expenses for the township of Groveland for the year 1844 was one hundred and thirty dollars also twenty five dollars for library

\$25

Groveland November the 16 th 1844

Alexander Downey Town Cler

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at the annual Township Meeting for the Township of Groveland held at the house of S C Munson on the 7 th day of April 1845 at which time the following township Officers rec'd the following Majorities and was declared duly Elected

Supervisor	Amos Orton rec'd	Eleven Majority	11
Township Clerk	Alexander Downey	do do	11
Treasurer	Henry Snyder	do	16
Justice full term	Wm H Putnam	-	5
- vacancy	Elbridge G Knowlton		9
School Inspector	Lewis H Heusted		23
Assessors	( Dan R Lord		
	( Seth J Wicker		
	( Darius Thayer )		
Comm of Highways	( John Leacy )		
	( Carlton Cornwell)		
	( Nicholas Stevens		
Overseers of Poor	( William P Heusted		
	( John Bowman		
	( James Hamilton		
Constables	( Nathaniel Leonard		
	( Harlehi Potter		



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Pound Master .. Henry Covert

Voted that the Bye laws remain as they were for the last two years

Voted that next annual town Meeting be held at the Narrin Schoolhouse. adjourned

Recorded April the 10 th 1845

Alexander Downey Township  
Clerk

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the Amount Audited by the board of Auditors for the township of Groveland for the Current year was \$ 221.32  
for library 25.00

Nov 5 th 1845 By order of the township Board

Alexander Downey town Clerk

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Taken into the enclosure of James Henry of Groveland on the Twelfth Day October 1846 a light red working ox with a star in his for 00--- white strip on his left side and white on the flank about midling Size

Groveland October 15, 1846

Constant Southworth

Town Clerk

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Came into the inclosure of Durfee D Horton of the Township of Groveland about the first October 1846 one white buck sheep ends of horns sawed off and long tail no artificial mark the owner is hereby required to prove property pay Charges and take it away

Groveland November 3, 1846

Durfee D Horton

Constant Southworth Town C

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At the Annual Township Meeting for the Township of Groveland held at the Narrin school house on the 6 day of April 1846 at which time the following Township officers Received the following Majorities and were declar'd duly Elected

Supervisor	Henry W Horton	Majority	15
Town Clerk	Constant Southworth	do	1
Town Treasurer	John McGinnis	do	16
Justice full Term	William L Narrin		10



Groveland Township records ( cont )

School Inspector Russel G Matthewson

Comm of Highways	( John Campbell ( Charles Seaman ( Jacob More
Constables	( John Bowman ( James Hamilton ( Eliot Seaman ( Nathaniel Leonard
Overseers of Poor	( Nicholas Stevens ( William P Husted
Pound Master	Henry Covert

Voted that there be no Assessors

" Four Constables

Voted that Election vote by ballot

Voted the next Annual Township Meeting be held at the Narrin Scho  
house Adjourned

Recorded April 11 th 1846

Franklin Hurlbunt Appointed Deputy Town Clerk for the Town of Gro  
-land for the ensuing year April the 11, 1846

Constant Southworth Town Clerk

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At Meeting of the Supervisor and Township Clerk of Groveland  
Oakland County they did appoint Jurors for said Township to be  
returned to County above named for the year 1846 Dated May the 30  
1846

Grand Jurors	( Thomas L Bird ( Thomas Hadley ( Calvin Mills
Pettit Jurors	( James Henry ( Bela Cogshall ( Derias Thayer ( Alanson Herrick

Groveland May 30, 1846

Henry W Horton Supervisor

Constant Southworth Town Clerk

Anno Domino 1846 ( in pencil )

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Came into the enclosure of Allan Campbell of Groveland about  
the first of August last a red cow with white face and red about



Groveland Township records ( cont )

the eyes going five years old the owner is hereby Required to prov-  
property pay Charges and take her away

Allan Campbell

Groveland November 3, 1846

Constant Southworth  
Town Clerk

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Came into the enclosure of Solomon Toby of the Township of Grov-  
-land on or before the middle of November 1846 a white last spring  
calf white face red on the sides of its neck and shoulders no arti-  
ficial mark on it the owner is hereby required to prove property  
pay Charges and take away said calf is a heifer

Groveland December 22, 1846

Solomon Toby

Constant Southworth  
Town Clerk

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Came into the enclosure of Joseph Marsh of Groveland on the  
fifth Day of November 1846 a red cow gives milk with a white tail  
one white spot on her back two white spots on her face one over  
each eye no mark on the ear only three tets the owner is hereby  
to prove property pay charges and take her away

Groveland November 10 th 1846

Joseph Marsh

Constant Southworth  
Town Clerk

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Came into the enclosure of Joseph Marsh of Groveland on the  
5 Day of November 1846 one white heifer comeing three years old  
next spring with small red spots on her sides no mark on her ears  
the owner is hereby required to prove property pay charges and  
take her away

Groveland November 10th 1846

Joseph Marsh

Constant Southworth  
Town Clerk

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Came into the enclosure of Lewis North on or about the firs  
of November 1846 in the Township of Groveland a dark red yearling  
bull no artificial mark the owner is hereby required to prove prop-  
-erty pay charges and take him away

Groveland December 5 th 1846

Lewis North

Constant Southworth  
Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

The Amount audited by the board of auditors of the Township of Groveland for the Current year was \$ 74.76  
for School library 25.00

November 4, 1846 By order of the Town Board

Constant Southworth  
Town Clerk

Remained in Treasurer Hands	\$ 30.20
Orders which was audited after Election	3.50
Oakland County Money	6
Husted Note	34.76
Amount Raised	54.06

Done by order of the Town Board  
Groveland, November 6, 1846

Constant Southworth  
Township Clerk

List of Orders Audited at the above Meeting was as follows

Numbers	Names	Sums
1	William L Narren	2.00
2	Thomas H Terwilligar	5.50
3	Constant C. Southworth	11.96
4	William H Putnam	1.37
5	William H Putnam	5.00
6	Carlton Cornwell	2.00
7	Henry W Horton	16.18
8	John Campbell	4.50
9	Charls Seamon	2.50
10	John M.C.Ginnis	1.00
11	Rusel G Matherson	2.50
12	Lewis H Husted	6.25
13	John Lacy	2.00
14	Jacob More	4.50
15	Alaxandria Downer	7.50
		\$74 .76
		Paid

( written in the margin - )

The as Orders has ben Paid and Cancild and Received by the town Board from John M.C.Ginnis Town Treasurer of Groveland March 30 th 1847 and the above mentioned order which was Audited after Election to the Amount of \$ 3.50 by Order of Town Board

C Southworth Town Clerk

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At the annual Meeting the Board of Auditors of the Town of Groveland County of Oakland held at the house of G Youngs in Groveland

present

Henry W Horton Supervisor

Thomas H Terwillegar Justice of peace and

C Southworth Town Clerk

they did then and their audit the following accounts



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At the annual Meeting of the Board of auditors of the Township of Groveland held at the house of G Youngs in said Town on Tuesday the 30 day of March 1847 present Thomas H Terwilligar Justice of the peace Henry W Horton supervisor and C Southworth Town Clerk the following were received examined and allowed on the affidavit of the persons to whom the orders were obtained and held in Town Clerks office

Number	Names	Sums
1	C Southworth settled	\$ 5.88
2	John McGinnis settled	2.00
3	Henry W Horton settled	1
4	Thomas H Terwilligar settled	1
5	Amos Orton settled	7.50
6	Henry W Horton settled	\$ 3.00
		\$20 .38

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At The Annual Meeting of the Board of Auditors March 30 th 1847 of the Town of Groveland Henry W Horton Supervisor and Sonstant Southworth Town Clerk and Thomas H Terwilligar Justice of the peace Whom Constituted Said Board then And ther Setled with John M.C.Ginnis Town Trasure and Deputy Sherrif for the Collection of Taxes for the year 1846 for the Township of Groveland and after Said settlement there remained in the hands of Said John M.C.Ginnis the following Monies Except Twenty cents which remained his due from the Township

Monies Arising from nonresident Highway Taxes for the Year 1846	\$ 00.20
Monies Arising from Licens paid by Hugh Quin --(?)	6.20
And Also Oaklan County Monies to the Amount of	5.00
	6.00

John M ginnis Town Treasure

Thomas H Terwillagar) Board  
Henry W Horton ) of  
Constant Southworth ) Auditors

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State of Michigan )  
County of Oakland ) A.D. 1847  
Township of Groveland )

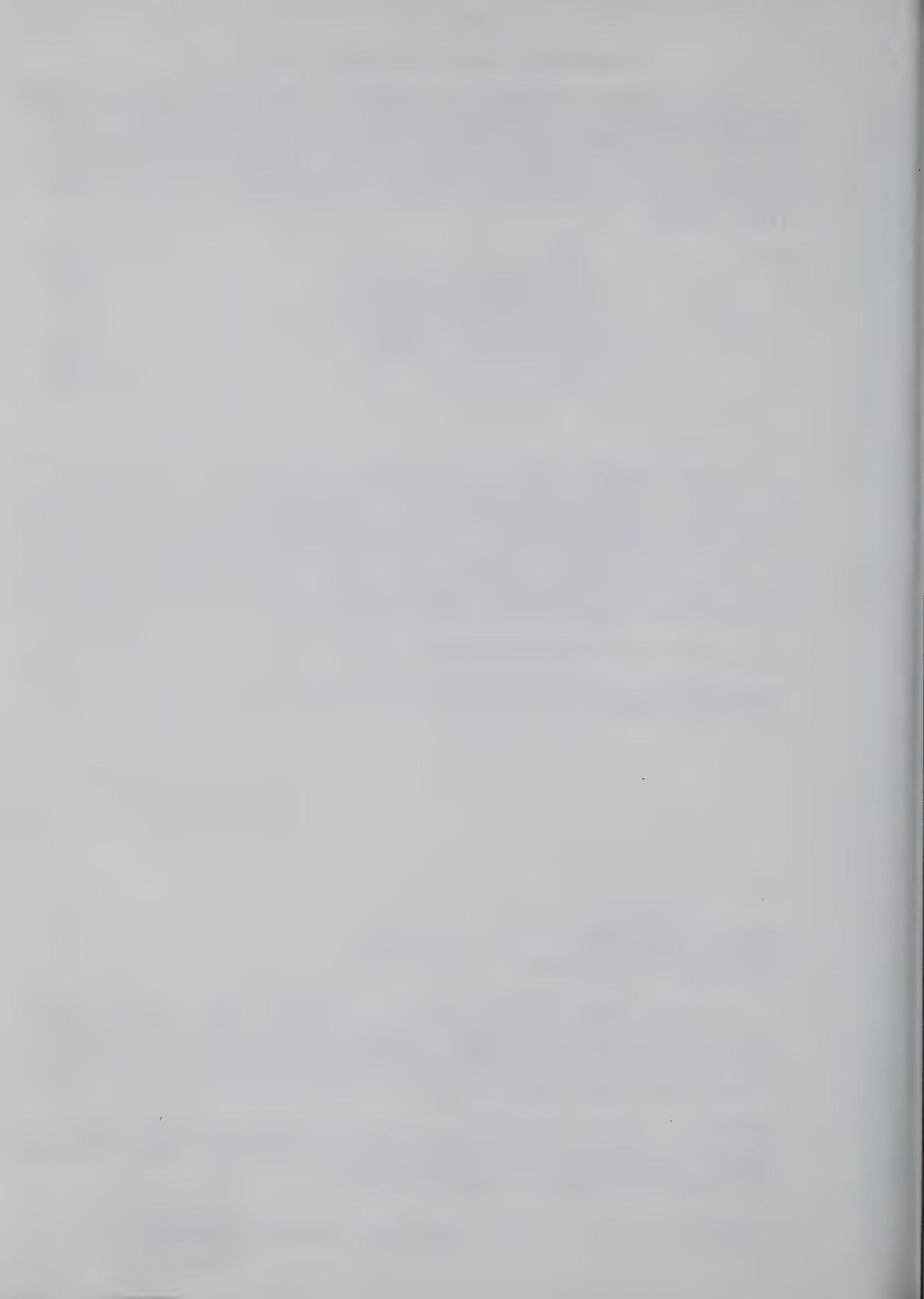
At the annual township Meeting holden at the Wilkins School Hou in the Township of Groveland April 5 th 1847, The following Votes were given for the following Officers. The whole number of votes given for Supervisor were one Hundred and seventy two, ninety seven of them given for James Wilkins, seventy five of them for Thomas Fir

T.Clerk

the whole number of votes given for the office of Town Clerk were or Hundred and seventy two seventy five of them for Lyman N Richmond ninty seven of them for John Campbell

J.Peace

The whole number of Votes Given for Justice of the Peace for full



Groveland Township records ( cont )

term was one hundred and seventy, seventy seven of them given for Henry W.Horton, Ninety one of them for Allaxander Downey, two of them for E.Marsh..

Treasurer

The whole number of votes given for Town Treasurer was one Hundred and sixty, sixty Eight of them for Dan R Lord, ninty one of them for Durffe D.Horton, one of them for John McGinnis.

S. Inspectors

The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspectors were one Hundred and seventy one. Ninety of them for Franklin Hurlbut eighty one of them for Thomas Hadley

Highway Commissioners

The whole number of votes given for the office of Highway Commissioners were Five Hundred and sixteen, ninety seven of them for Jacob Arnold, ninety five of them for George C.Morris, Eighty five of them for Harlehi Potter, Eighty four of them for Henry Hunt, seventy six of them for John Tobey

Constables

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables were six Hundred and Eighty one, Ninety of them for Prescote Wilkins, Eighty Three of them for Robert C Seaman, Ninty of them for Lyman Herrick, Ninety five of them for Dewitt C.Narrin, seventy three of them for Charles Henry, Eighty two of them for Elstin G Horton, Seventy three of them for Elisha H Marsh.

Overseers of Poor

The whole number of votes given for the office of Overseers of the Poor was two Hundred and seventy four, one hundred and fifteen of them for Nicholas Stevens, Seventy of them for Abraham D Perry, Eighty nine of them for Allaxandria Jenkins

We, the following Inspectors Do determine that the following Persons are Elected to their respective offices, To wit - at the above Meeting the following Persons were Elected for the office of Overseers of Highways. Immediately after the Close of the Polls, by viva - voce, by the direction of the Electors at Said meeting

W.H.Putnam	Overseer of Road District No 1
Carr Barrons	do do 2
Lewis Husted	do do 3
Solomon Tobey	do do 4
Seth J Wicker	do do 5
John Hadley	do do 6
George D.Terry	do do 7
Harvey Mudge	do do 8
Sidney Smith	do do 9
Henry Covert	do do 10
Gabriel S.Ogden	do do 11
Constant Southworth	do do 12
John Phipps	do do 13
Chester Felton	do do 14
William L Narrin	do do 15
John Tobey	do do 16
A.D.Perry	do do 17



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Amos Orton	do	do	18
Thomas S Bird	do	do	19
Henry R Wyman	do	do	20
Archibie Stevens	do	do	21
Isaac Titsworth	do	do	22
Steven Woodruff	do	do	23
William Mills	do	do	24

James Wilkins was Elected to the office of Pound Master

the following Persons were elected to there Respective offices by Ballot written on paper ticket they receiving the highest number of votes ---

James Wilkens was elected to the office of supervisor

John Campbell was Elected to the office of Town Clerk

Durfee D.Horton was elected to the office of town Treasurer

Alexander Downey was elected to the office of Justice of Peace full term

Jacob Arnold<sup>3</sup> was elected to the office of Highway Commissioner for three years

George C.Morris<sup>2</sup> was elected to the office of Highway Commissioner for two years

Harlehi Potter<sup>1</sup> was elected to the office of Highway Commissioner for one year

Franklin Hulbut was elected to the office of School Inspector

John Bowman was Elected to the office of Constable

Dewitt C.Narrin was Elected to the office of Constable

Prescott Wilkins was Elected to the office of Constable

Lyman Herrick was Elected to the office of Constable

Nicholas Stevens was elected to the office of Director of the poor

Alexandria Jenkins was elected to the offive of director of the poor

We, the undersigned Inspectors of the above Meeting do hereby Certify the above to be a true statement of the votes given and a true statement of our determination of the Persons Elected to their respective offices and we also Certify that we caused proclamation to be made one hour before the close of the Polls, said Polls was closed at four oclock in the afternoon and Constant Southworth Town Clerk was clerk of the board of Inspectors and Thomas H Terwelligar Justice of the Peace whose term of office soonest expired and Henry W.Horton, Supervisor, and each of the Inspectors first being duly sworn to serve as Inspectors and Clerk before opening the Polls according to law. the Polls was opened soon After nine oclock in the forenoon of the same day. we farther certify that we Compared the Poll list and counted the Ballots before opening them And we then proceeded to publicly Canvass the same And the result was read by the Clerk to the persons there assembled and we certify that all of the names of the above persons who being elected as above stated appeared on the Poll List except George C.Morris we also certify that there was thirty nine votes Given by ballot for License and four votes given by ballot for no license. All of the votes Given by ballot at the said meeting was given by paper tickets with the names of the Persons above mentioned

Dated April 5 th 1847

Constant Southworth Town Clerk } Inspectors  
Henry W Horton Supervisor } of the  
Thomas H. Terwilagar Justice } annual Township meet-  
of Peace



Groveland Township records ( cont )

ing holden in the Township of Groveland April 5 th 1847

The above Recorded this 8 th day of April, 1847 By

John Campbell, Town Clerk

I have this day appointed Allan Campbell Deputy Township Clerk who has duly qualified for the same

April 8 th 1847

John Campbell T.Clerk

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I Certify that I did give George C Morris Notice of his Election to the office of Highway Commissioner for two years on the 7 th day of April 1847, being within the two days as prescribed in Statutes, the name of the said Morris not being on the Poll list of the township meeting held on the 5 th April 1847

John Campbell Township Clerk

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( written on margin - Per Franklin Hurlbutt )

I certify that I have this day given notice to County Clerk of the Election of Allexander Downey to the office of Justice of the Peace for the full term of four years also that John Bowman Dewitt C. Narrin, Prescott Wilkins and Lyman Herrick was Elected to the office of Constables for the ensuing year in the town of Groveland the above Persons being elected at the annual township meeting held at Wilkins school house in this town of Groveland

Dated this 12 th day of April 1847

John Campbell Township  
Clerk

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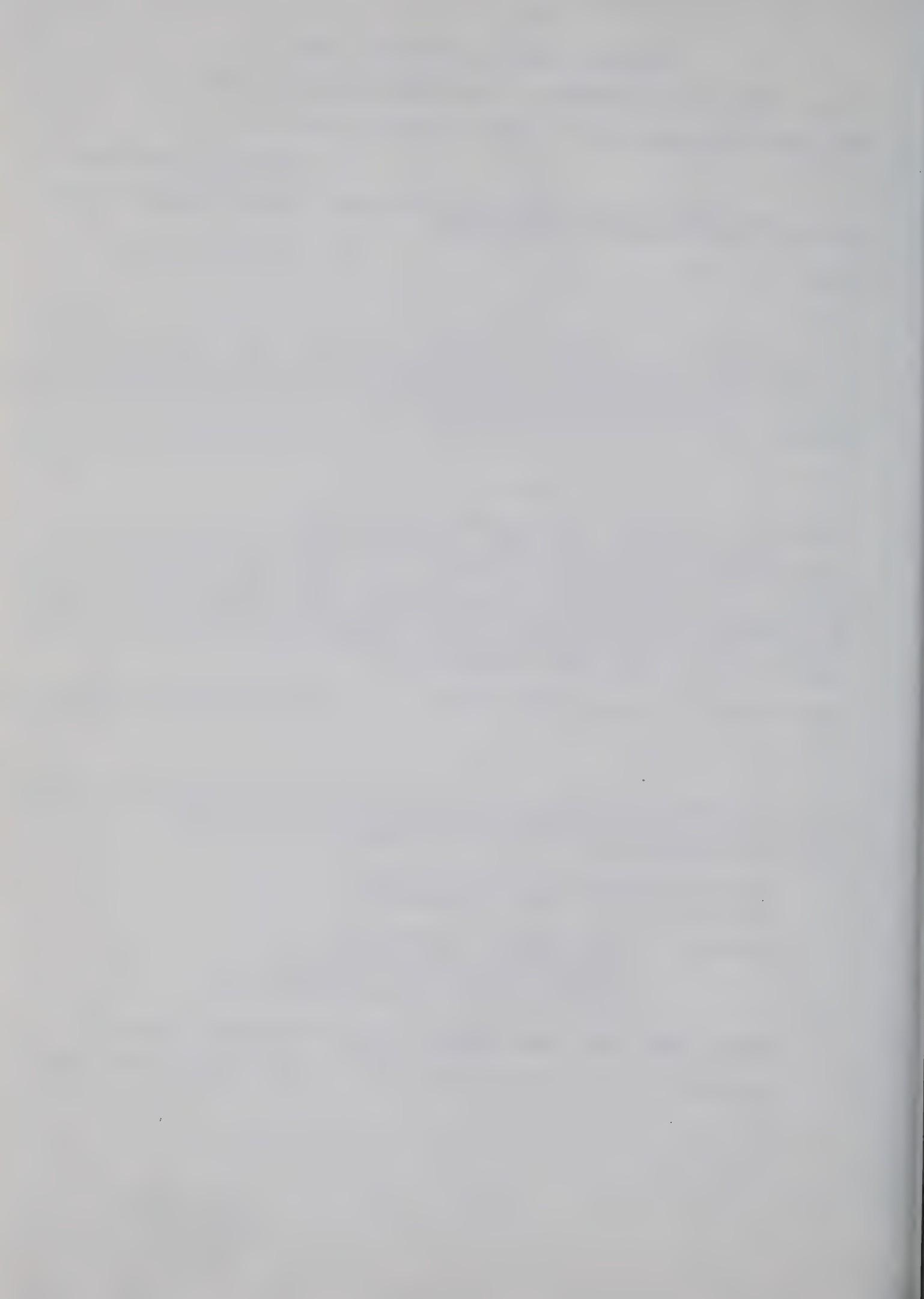
at a meeting of the Town Board held at the house of Gilman Youngs in Groveland, Licenses were granted to the following persons to sell spirituous liquors untill the first Monday in April 1848

Lyman M Richmond as a tavern keeper  
Hugh Quenin as a common victueler

Present - James Wilkins, supervisor  
John Campbell, Town Clerk  
Thomas H Terwillager, Justice peace  
Henry W Horton , Justice Peace

Amount Rec<sup>d</sup> \$10, and transmitted to Treasurer of Oak. Co

Recorded same day April 26 th 1847 John Campbell Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At a meeting of the Supervisor and Town Clerk on Saterday, May 8t 1847, at the office of the Supervisor in the town of Groveland the following persons were appointed Jurors for the ensueing year at the County Courts, vis -

Samuel Wilkins	)	
John Husted	)	Grand Jurors
James Webster	)	
Labon Jencks	)	
Samuel Clemons	)	Pettit Jurors
John Mc Ginnis	)	

Dated May 8 th 1847

James Wilkins Supervisor

John Campbell T.Clerk

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Came into the enclosure of John Parkhurst in Groveland about the first days of October last a red last springs calf, no artificial marks.

Recorded November 3 rd 1847, By

John Campbell Township Clerk

E.G.Hurd took him

The owner of the above steer calf is requested to prove property, &c

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Came into the Inclosure of John Tobey in the Township of Groveland County of Oakland on the 21 st day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1847, one yoke last spring steer calves, one is a brindle colour, the other is a pale red colour with a brockle face, and one last spring heifer calf of a dark red colour with a brockle face,

the owner is hereby requested to call prove Property pay charges and take them away.

Recorded this 25 th day of November, 1847

John Campbell Town Clerk

William L Marrin appeared proved Property payed Charges and took them away by Consent of said John Tobey, December th 1847

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Came into the enclosure of the subscriber about the first Days o December last Five white bob tailed Ewe Sheep. one has a swallows fork in the left ear and a slit in the right. one has a slit in the left ear and a hole in the right ear. one has a crop off the left ear and a happeny under the right, & one has a slit in the left ear. they are supposed to be two Old and three young sheep. The owner is reques -ed to call Prove property pay Charges and take them away

George D.Terry

(over)



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Groveland December 15 th 1847

Recorded by

John Campbell Town Clerk

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Came into the enclosure of Thomas S Bird in the township of Groveland about the 15 th of December instant five (5) farrow hogs - supposed weight Each about seventy (70) pounds two spotted black and white the others one black all over the others has white legs and belly and a white stripe in the face. Said hogs supposed to be last springs pigs. the artificial marks are four of them has short tails. the owner is requested to prove property pay charges and take them away

Thomas S.Bird

Recorded December 30 th 1847

John Campbell Town Clerk

January 1 st 1848, Not-a Bene. -

stray beasts,&c will be found in a Book provided for that Purpose  
Groveland

John Campbell Town Clerk

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March 20 1848

At the Anual Meeting of the Board of Auditors for the Town of Groveland Convened at the Wilkens School hous in Said Town James Wilkens Supervisor & John Campbell Town Clerk & William H Putnam & Thomas H Terwilligar the Justice of the peace Whose term of office Soonest Expired Constituted Said bord did then and there Settle with Delna D Horton Town Treasurer for Said Township and after Said Settlement there remained in Said Treasurers hands the following Monies

Mones Arising from Liens Received by him from John McGinnis formerly Treasurer

Also Highway Taxe

	\$ 9.33
Error of	1.00
	10. 33

Also Oakland County Bills - \$ 6.

Also Also School Monies to be Divided in the Several Schoole Districts Collected 1847 by Said Delna Horton

	18.10
Total	\$28.43

Groveland under our hands  
March 28 th 1848

Burfee D Horton Treasurer

Thomas H Terwellegar) justice  
) of the  
) peace  
Wm H Putnam ) justice  
) the peace

John Campbell Town Clerk

James Wilkins Supervisor



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At the Above Meeting there remained in Russle G Mathewson hands  
A School Inspector To wit Chairman the sum of 25.00 Library Monies

The above Twenty five dollars Has been Rec'd from Russell G  
Mathewson & appropriated to Purchase of Books for Groveland Township  
Library -

John Campbell Town Clerk

See Bill on file with C.J.Wilkins, Chairman of Board School Inspecto

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At the Anual Meetin of the Board of Audetor for the Tow n of  
Groveland Conveend at the Wilkins School House Present James Wilkins  
Supervisor, John Campbell Town Clerk, William H Putnam Justice of th  
Peace whose term of office soonest Expires. The following is a cor-  
rect record of the numbers, names and amounts of the several account  
audited as allowed by said Board

List of Orders Given by Said Board as follows -

Numbers	Names	amount
1.	Harlehy Potter	\$ 2.00
2.	Jacob Arnold	2.00
3.	Samuel C Baldwin	1.00
4.	Russell G. Mathewson	10.25
5.	James Wilkins	20.00
6.	John Campbell	18.65
7.	George C Morris	6.50
8.	Thomas H.Terwilliger	2.50
9.	Durfee D.Horton	1.05
10.	William H.Putnam	2.50
11.	H.Stevens	.50
12.	Charles Seaman	2.00
13.	Jacob More	2.00
	Sum Total	\$ 70.95
14.	Harlehy Potter	2.00
15.	Jacob Arnold	2.00
16.	Henry W.Horton	2.00
	In Full	\$ 76.95

The above Orders has been Canceled & Paid and Rec'd by Township  
Board from John Mc Ginnis Town Treasurer March 27 th 1849, By Order  
of the Board

John Campbell Clerk of

Groveland Oakland County  
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Township of Groveland, Oakland County -

We the undersigned Inspectors of the Township of Groveland in  
the County of Oakland State of Michigan, Do hereby Certify that at  
the annual Township Meeting held on the 3 rd of April 1848 at the  
Wilkins School House in Said Township after Canvassing the votes  
received by Ballot the result was ascertained as follows, to wit



Groveland Township records ( cont )

( 159 )  
Supervisor

The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor was one Hundred and Fifty nine. They were given for the following Persons, viz Eighty Nine ( 89 ) of them for William H Putnam and Seventy ( 70 ) of them for Henry W.Horton

( 159 )  
T. Clerk

The whole number of votes Given for the office of Town Clerk was one Hundred and fifty Nine. They were given for the following Persons, viz Seventy Seven of them for Linas Lamb and Eighty two of them for John Campbell

( 156 )  
J.Peace

The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of the Peace was one Hundred and fifty six They were given for the following Persons viz Seventy three of them for Bela Jogshall and Eighty three of them for Harvey Mudge

157  
Treasurer

The whole Number of votes given for the office of Town Treasurer was one Hundred and Fifty seven they were given for the following Persons, viz Eighty five of them for John Mc Ginnis, Seventy two of Durfee D.Horton

322  
Assessors

The whole Number of votes given for the office of Assessors was Three Hundred and twenty two. they were given for the following Persons, viz Eighty three of them for Constant Southworth Eighty one of them for Allexander Wheeler Eighty of them for Joseph Jennings Seventy Eight of them for Thomas S.Bird

313  
School  
Inspector

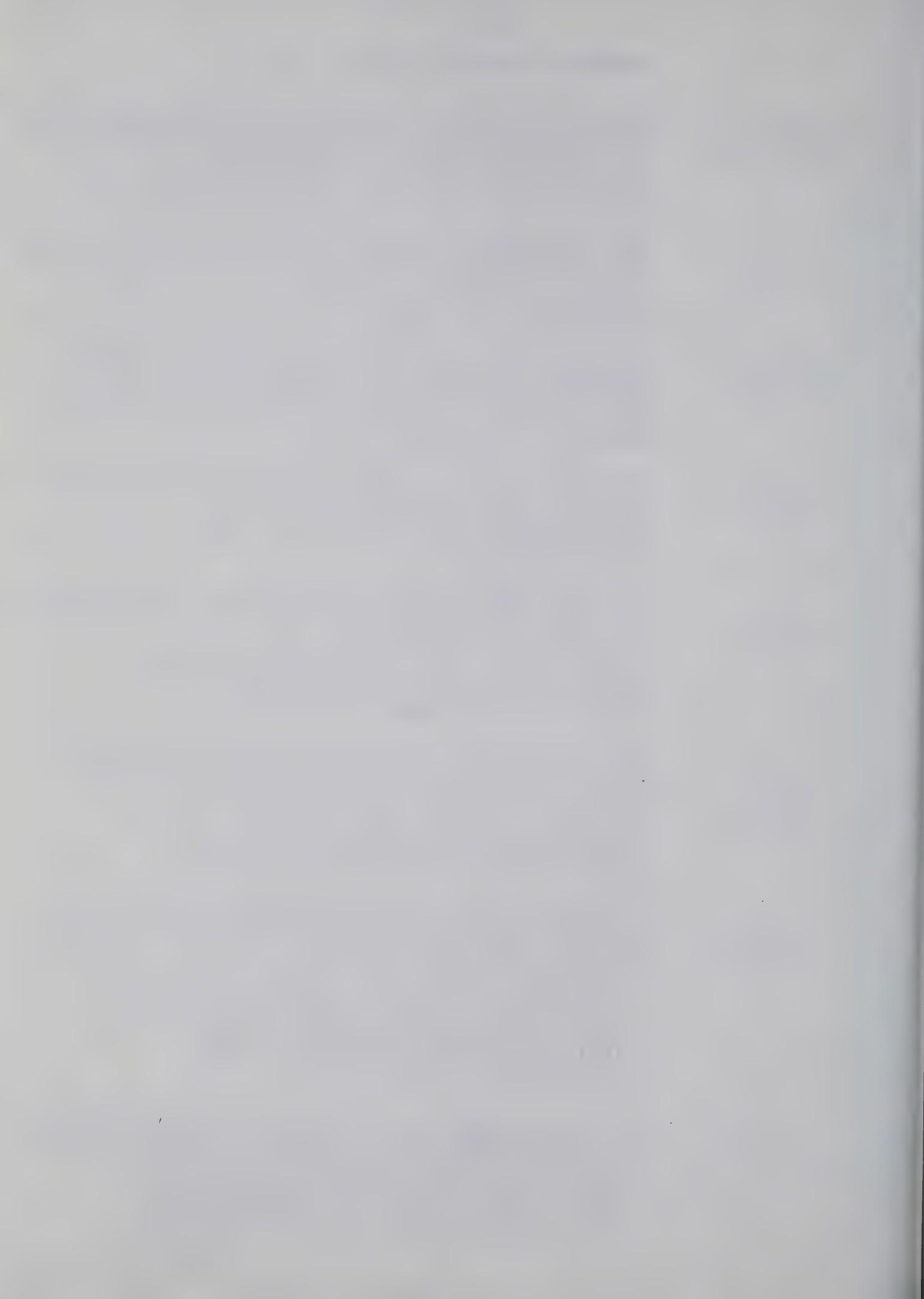
The whole number of Votes given for the office of School Inspectors was Three Hundred and thirteen They were given for the following Persons, viz Eighty of them for Lewis H.Husted Eighty of them for Chester Wilkins, vacancy Seventy Seven of them for Thomas Hadley Seventy Six of them for Sam C Baldwin

H. Coms  
vacancy

The whole number of votes Given for the office of Highway Commissioner was one Hundred and fifty one for full Term and one Hundred and fifty Nine of them for to fill vacancy They were given for the following Persons viz Seventy two of them for Thomas H Terwillager Seventy Nine of them for Abram D Perry Eighty two of them for Thomas J.Ewell Seventy seven of them for Henry Hunt

O.Poor

The whole Number of votes given for the office of overseers of the Poor was Three Hundred and fifteen they were given for the following Persons, viz Eighty two of them for Samuel Wilkins Seventy Eight of them for William Eckler Seventy Nine of them for James Henry



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Pound  
Master

The whole Number of votes given for the office of Pound Master was Eighty two - which was given for the following person viz Eighty two votes for Nickolass Stevens

Constables

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constable was Six Hundred and Seventy five They were given for the following Persons viz Eighty five of them for Charles Seaman Seventy Nine of them for William B.Eckler Eighty one of them for Abram Husted Eighty two of them for Lyman Herrick Eighty two of them for George D.Terry Seventy Eight of them for Ira H.Marsh Seventy Eight of them for De wit C.Nsrrin Eighty of them for Manly Irish

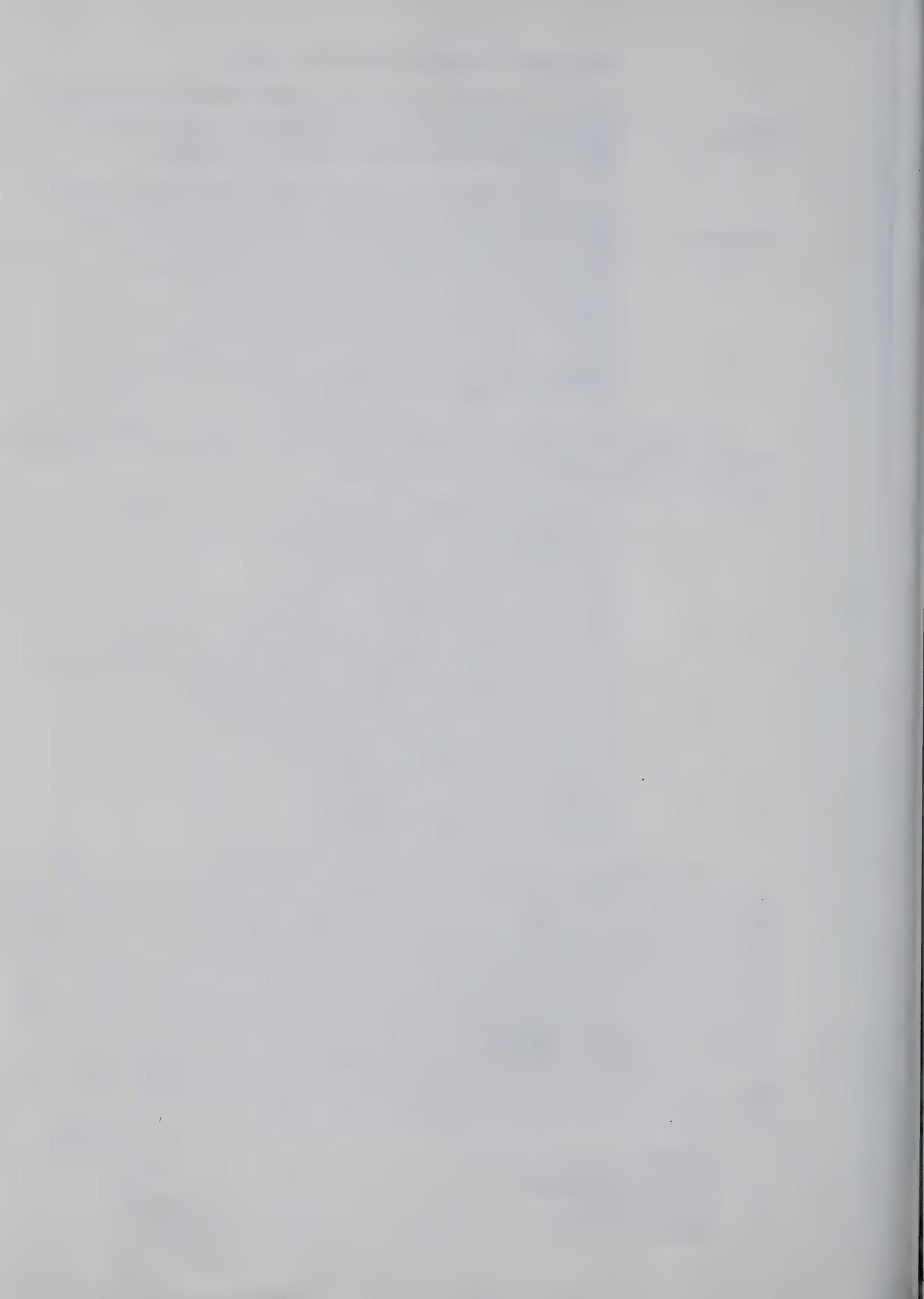
We the undersigned Inspectors do hereby after Canvassing said votes do hereby determine that the following Persons to be Elected to their Respective offices as follows

William H.Putnam, Supervisor of Said Town  
John Campbell Town Clerk "  
Harvey Mudge Justice of Peace "  
John Mc Ginnis Treasurer "  
Constant Southworth Assessor "  
Allexander Wheeler Assessor  
Lewis H Husted School Inspector full Term  
Chester Wilkins School Inspector vacancy  
Abram D.Perry Highway Commissioner full term  
Thomas J Ewell Highway Com - vacancy  
Samuel Wilkins, Overseer of the Poor  
James Henry Overseer of the Poor  
Nickolass Stevens Pound Master  
Charles Seaman, Constable  
Lyman Herrick, Constable  
Abram S.Husted , Constable  
George D.Terry, Constable

We further Certify that by a vote of the Electors at Said meeting by the uplifting of hands That the Supervisor raise for Township purposes and Expenses of said Township the sum of Seventy Dollars and 95/100 to pay town Crders which was audited March 28 th 1848 b: said Township at the annual Meeting of auditors. We further certif: that by a vote of said Electors at said meeting by the uplifting o: hands that the Supervisor of said Township raise the sum of twenty five cents by tax for every scholar in said Township between the ages of Four and Eighteen years of age for the support of Common schools in said township.

We further certify that the following Persons were Elected to the office of overseers of highways. Immediately after the Close o: the Polls by viva voce by Direction of said Electors to wit

Names	No of District
Calvin Mills	1.
Samuel Clemons	2.
James Henry	3.
Nathaniel Peck	4.



Groveland Township records ( cont )

John Campbell	5.
Daniel F. Johnson	6.
Allan Husted	7.
John Tobey	8.
Solomon Tobey	9.
Durfee D. Horton	10.
Chester Felton	11.
Steven Woodruff	12.
William L. Narrin	13.
Samuel Wilkins	14.
Abram D. Perry	15.
John Hadley	16.
Daniel Ward	17.
Thadius Harriman	18.
John Pettis	19.
Harvey Mudge	20.
Carlton Cornwell	21.
Thomas S. Bird	22.
Dan R. Lord	23.
Gabriel S. Ogden	24.
Alonso C. Hurlbut	25.
Spencer Bigelow	26.

We certify that the Polls was opned on the 3 rd day of April, 1848, at about nine oclock A.M. and Proclamation was given one hour before the Close of the Polls and the Polls was closed at four oclock P.M. and the Poll Lists was compared and the votes counted and we proeceeded to Publicly Canvass, and the result was as above Stated, Certifified to and all of the names appeared upon the Poll list of the Persons Elected to the above offices Except Lewis H.Husted, Chester Wilkins, Calvin Mills, Samuel Clemons, Nathaniel Peck, Gabriel S.Ogden and Alonso C.Hurlbut, and there was a magority of Nineteen in favour of licenses being granted the result of the above Election was read by the Town Clerk of the said Board of Inspectors Publicly, to the Electiors there assembled after the result was fully known by the Inspectors of said Township Meeting. Next Town Meeting to be held at the Wilkins School House

Dated at Groveland  
this 3 st day of April 1848

John Campbell Town Clerk  
Thomas H.Terwillegar,  
Justice  
of Peace  
Inspectors of above Town  
Meeting

Recorded April 5 th 1848

John Campbell Town Clerk

Groveland April 5 th 1848

I have this day appointed James Campbell Deputy Township Clerk  
who has duly qualified for the same

John Campbell Town Clerk

I do hereby certify that I have notified Lewis H.Husted, Chester Wilkins, Calvin Mills, Samuel Clemons, Nathaniel Peck, Gabriel S. Ogden and Alonso C Hurlbutt of their Election to their respective offic-es ( their names not appearing on the Poll list according to law within two Days of their Election)

John Campbell /Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

April 6 th 1848

John Campbell Town Clerk  
Personally

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Amount to be raised by Tax for the year 1848 as follows, viz.  
By town of Groveland Oak Co

To Pay Town Orders as voted by Township meeting April 3 rd 1848

Subsequent Orders not brot forward	\$ 70.95
Twenty five cents on each scholar btwn. 4 & 18	06.00
368 scholars at	92.00
.25 cents on each	
\$ 92.00	-----
	\$168.95

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At a meeting of the Town Board at the office of the Township Clerk April 22 nd 1848 It was Determined that all persons applying for License to Sell Spiritous liquors Shall pay the sum of five Dollars for each license granted for the ensuing year with the fee for the meeting of the Board. By Order of the Board

John Campbell Town Clerk

Wm H.Putnam Sup ( written  
in the margin )

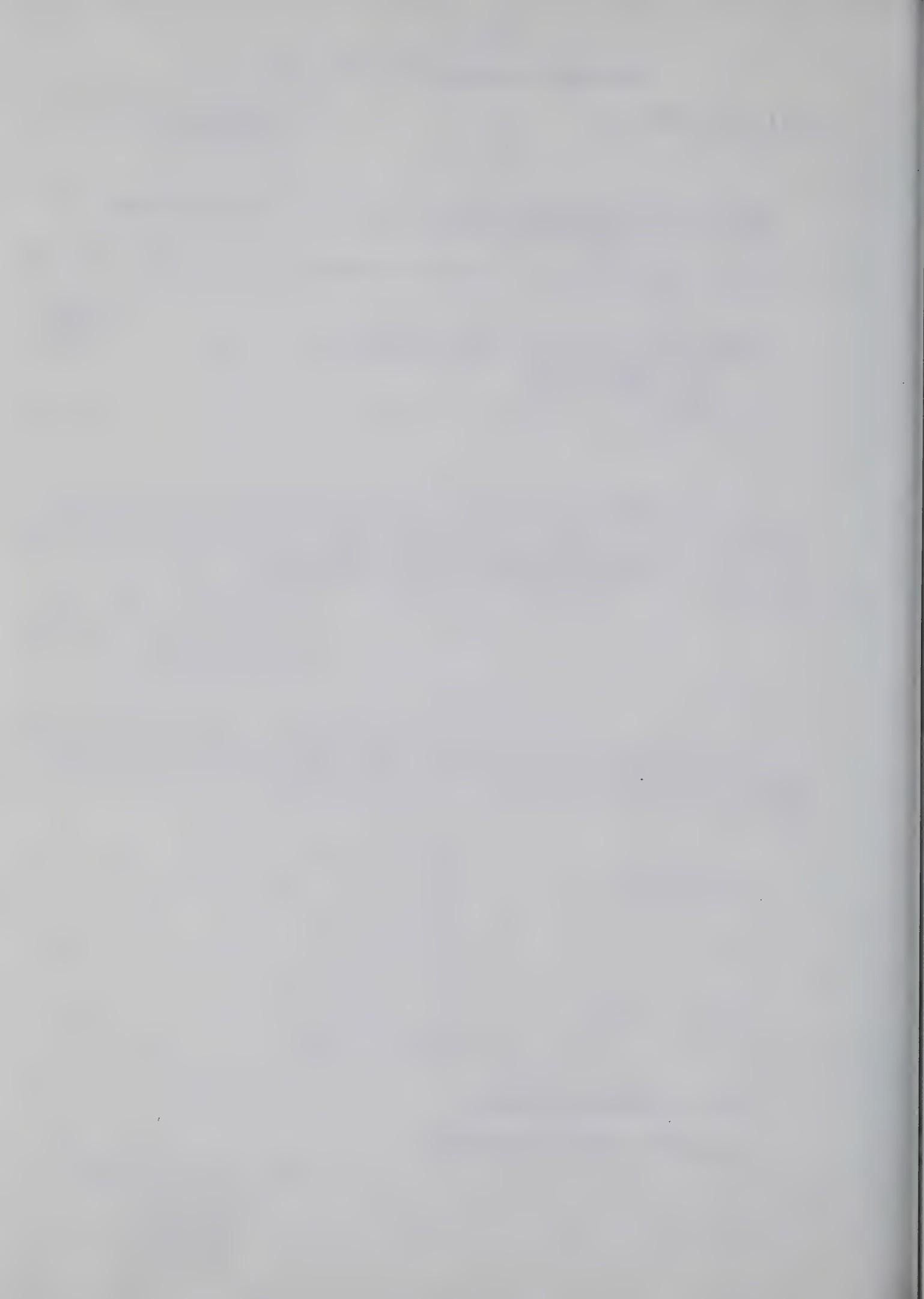
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At a meeting of the assessors and Township Clerk of the Township of Groveland at the office of the Supervisor on the sixth day of May 1848 the following persons were appointed jurors for the ensuing year to wit.

Grand jurors	{ Samuel Wilkins
	{ Abram D.Perry and
	{ Charles Seaman
	{ George Oliver
Petit jurors	{ Bela Cogshall and
	{ Carlton Cornwall

Wm H. Putnam Supervisor

Alexander Wheeler assessor

John Campbell Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland at the Store of Hugh Queneen in said Town on the 23 rd of June 1848 - for the Purpose of Granting Licenses Hugh Queneen was Duly licensed according to law as a Common Victualer with the Priveledge of retailing Spirituous liquors in less quantity~~s~~ than 28 gallons, Said license to be in force until the first Monday in April next and no longer ( according to law - written in the margin )

William H.Putnam Supervisor

Thomas H Terwillager  
Justice Peace  
John Campbell Town Clerk

Received for above license five dollars - \$5. & fees - \$1.50  
Said \$5 dollars Transmitted to County Treasurer See Receipt on file  
in this office

J.C. T.Clerk

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General Election held in Township of Groveland at the House of Daniel E.Baker on Tuesday November 7 th 1848: Board of Inspectors. Present Wm H Putnam Supervisor, William L Narrin Justice of Peace, John Campbell Town Clerk, James Wilkins appointed Clerk - whole number of voted Polled one Hundred and Sixty three

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account opened . Credit to D.D.Horton  
Said to John Mc Ginnis

\$ 10.10  
1.87

Hortons Credit 11.97

Hortons Debt or - To Balance of Mill Tax as Shown by Settlement 18.10  
License Money and Highway Tax 10.33  
28.43  
11.97  
Subtract 16.46

Hortons Indebtedness at this date \$ 16.46

April 2 nd 1849

J.Campbell Town Clerk

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At the Annual meeting of the Board of Auditors for the Township of Groveland held at the Wilkins School House in said Town March 29 th 1849, Present Wm H.Putnam Supervisor - John Campbell Town Clerk & Wm L.Narrin Justice of Peace whose term of office Soonest Expires who Constituted Said Board. They did then & there Settle with John Mc Ginnis Town Treasurer for ~~said~~ Township with said Township as follows

To Township Orders Canceled \$ 76.95  
Order from School Inspectors 25.00  
101 .95

We find a balance in the hands of Said Treasurer the following Sums to wit - in favour of said Township of Groveland -



Groveland Township records ( cont )

School Monies being the Balance of Mill Tax - for year of 1848 & part of(47- \$1.87 )	\$ 21.17
Non Resident Highway Tax - District 15 - Paid	.90
Cancelled by Order of Highway Coms. 22	3.54
Cancelled by Order of Highway Coms. 5	.90
Canceled by Order from Highy Coms 20	3.28
School District Taxes To wit	
Cancelled by order from Director Dist No 5	7.74
"      " 10	8.94
Cancelled by Order from Director " " 3	5.00
License Monies of 1846	5.00
Paid April 2 nd Highway - Tax by Order Cancelled	5.10
Cash from Terwillajer on Judgment- Calvin Husteds note	14.10

William H Putnam Supervisor

John Campbell Town Clerk

Wm L Narrin Justice of the  
Peace

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At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held at the Wilkins School House March 27 th 1849 for the purpose of auditing and settling all Claims against said Township of Groveland, Present, Wm H Putnam Supervisor John Campbell Town Clerk & Wm L. Narrin Justice of the Peace whose term of office soonest expires. The following is a Correct Record of the Numbers, names & amounts of the several accounts audited & allowed by said Board.

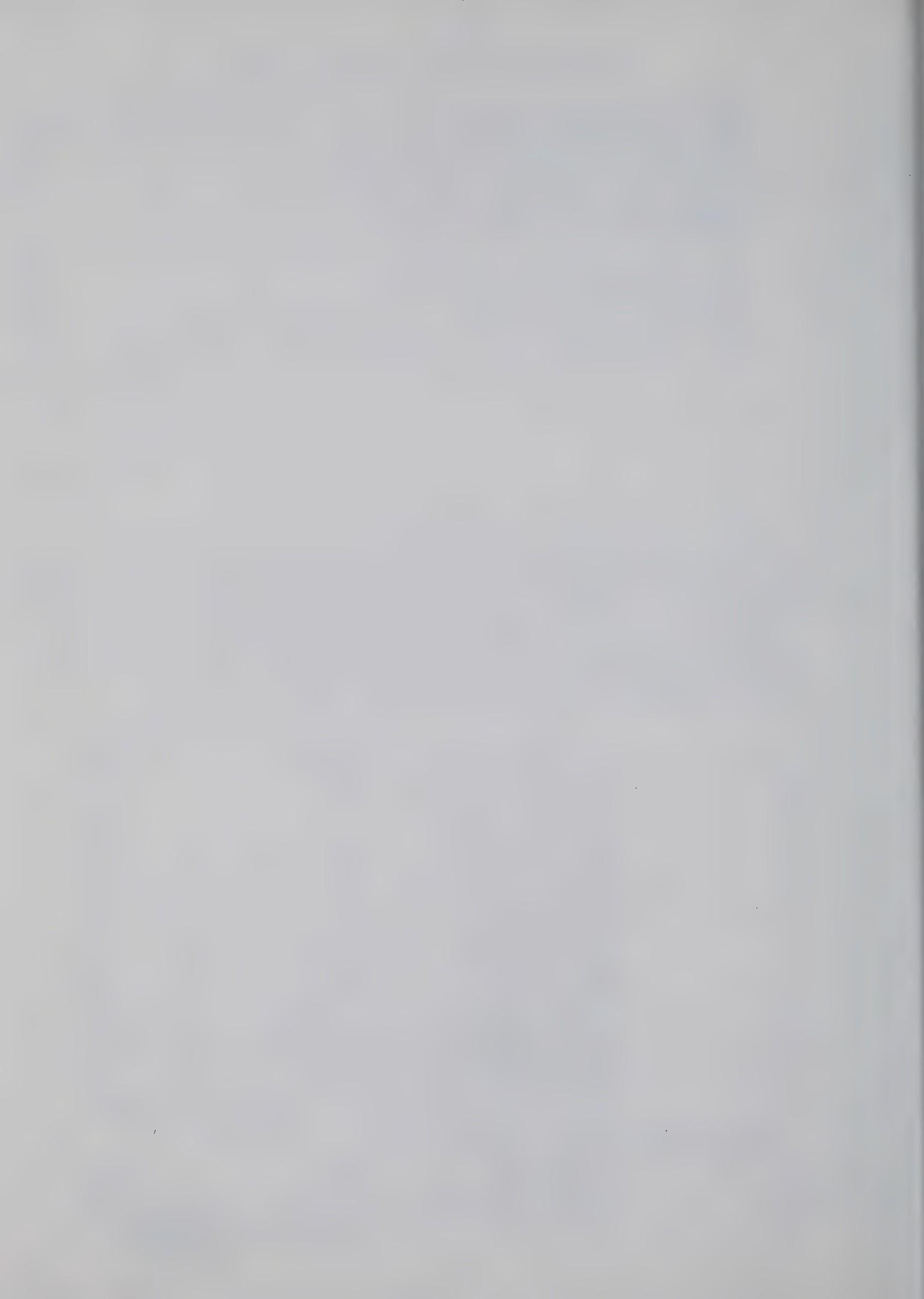
List of Orders Given by Town Board as follows to wit -

Nos	names	Delivered to	amounts
1.	James Wilkins	self	\$ 1.00
2.	Constant Southworth	self	4.00
3.	George C.Morris	do	5.00
4.	Chester S.Wilkins	do	8.50
5.	John Mc Ginnis	do	2.55
6.	Abram E Perry	do	3.25
7.	Thomas H Trawilager	Wm L Narrin	1.00 <del>1.50</del>
8.	Thomas J Ewell	self	4.50 19.00
9.	John Campbell	self	19.00 1.00
10.	Morris Ripley	T.J.Ewell	1.00 1.00
11.	Allex <sup>r</sup> Downey	Jn Campbell	1.00 2.00
12.	Wm L Narrin	self	2.00 2.00
13.	E.K.Parshall	T.J.Ewell	2.00 0.50
14.	Holton Bigelow	G.E.Morris	.50 0.50
15.	Luther Ingraham	G.E.Morris	.50 0.50
16.	Lambert W.Dilley	G.E.Morris	.50 17 .00
17.	Wm H.Putnam	self	17.00 5.00
18.	Allex <sup>r</sup> Wheeler	Putnam	5.00
		Carried down	\$78.30

Allowed to be raised - the above and the following

To wit, by vive voce

No 19.	John Phipps	self	\$32.50
No 20	Alfred Richmond	self	15.00
" 21	Isaac Case	Wm L Narrin	6.00
		Total Bro't down	\$131.80



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Voted by Ballot that money be raised to pay D. Thayer & John Lacy's accounts against the Town of Groveland as Audited and allowed by township Board as follows

Order No 22 - Darius Thayer	amount \$67.11
" 23 Dr John Lacy	54.60
Whole amount to be raised ensuing year to pay the above Town Orders	\$253.51

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We the undersigned Inspectors of the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan Do hereby Certify that at the annual Township meeting held on the first Monday in April 1849 at the Wilkins School House in said Township after Canvassing the votes received by Ballot the result was as follows ,To wit

the whole number of votes Given for the office of Supervisor was Sup'r One Hundred & Eighty and they were given for the following Persons, to wit, One Hundred of Them for John Campbell, Eighty of them for James Webster

T.Clerk The whole number of votes given for the office of Town Clerk was One Hundred and Eighty One and they were given for the following Persons, to wit, One Hundred and Two of them for Gabriel S Oaden and Seventy Nine of them for Russell G. Mathewson, the whole number of Votes Given for the office of Justice of the Peace was One Hundred & Seventy nine, and they were given for the following Persons to wit Ninety of them for William H.Putnam Eighty Nine of them for Calvin Mills

J.Peace Treasurer The whole number of votes given for the office of Treasurer was One Hundred and Eighty, and they were given for the following Persons to wit ninety of them for Linu Lamb, ninety of them for Elstin J.Horton

By Coms The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioner of Highways was One Hundred and Eighty and they were given for the following Persons to wit ninety two of them for Thomas Hadly and Eighty Eight of them for George C.Morris

S<sup>1</sup> Insp't The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector full term was One Hundred and Eighty, and they were given for the following Persons to wit - Ninet of them for Spencer Bigelow ninety of them for Horatio Wright

vac'y The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector to fill vacancy, was One Hundred and Seventy Nine and they were given for the following Persons to wit Ninety of them for Lewis H.Husted. Eighty Nine of them for Darius H.Stone

Const's The whole number of votes given for the office of Constable was Six Hundred and ninety Seven and they were given for the following Persons to wit One Hundred and Three of them for De Witt C.Narrin



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Ninety Three for Moses Farnum jr  
Eighty Seven for Charles Peck  
Ninety one for Hiram Ainsley  
ninety two for Linus Lamb  
Seventy Six for Charles Seaman  
Seventy Six for Thomas H. Terwillajer  
Seventy nine for William B.Eckler

The whole number of votes given for the office of Directors of Poor was Three Hundred Fifty Eight, and they were given for the following Persons to wit

Ninety two of them for Amos Wolverton  
Ninety of them for James Henry  
Eighty nine of them for John Bowman  
Eighty Seven of them for Nickolas Stevens  
one vote for Charles Henry a Director of Poor

And we farther Certify that the following Persons Received a Majority of the Votes Given and are Elected to the respective offices Sett opposite their respective names, To Wit

John Campbell	Supervisor
Gabriel S Ogden	Town Clerk
William H.Putnam	Justice of the Peace
Linus Lamb	Treasurer
Thomas Hadley	Highway Commissioner
Spencer Bigelow	School Inspector full Term
Lewis H.Heusted	" fill vacy
De Witt C.Narrin	Constable
Moses Farnum Jr	"
Hiram Ainsley	"
Linus Lamb	"
Amos Wolverton	Director of Poor
James Henry	" "

& we farther Certify that the following Persons Received a majority of Votes and are hereby Declared duly Elected - Said Person Elected viva voce Immediately after the Closeing of the Polls as overseers of Road Districts To - wit

Benjamin Phelps	Dist 1.
Peter Van Tine	" 2.
John B.Killer	3.
Joseph Jennings	4.
John Campbell	5.
Henry S.Husted	6.
John Husted	7.
Henry W.Horton	8.
Thomas Phipps	9.
Joel Mirwin	10.
Varnis Maxfield	11.
Jesse Jones	12.
William L.Narrin	13.
Jacob More	14.
Abram D.Perry	15.
John Hadley	16.
Daniel Ward	17.
Henry Covert	18.



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Hiram Molby	Dist.	19
Harlehy Potter		20
Wm Mills		21
Thomas S.Bird		22
Ashley Rathbone		23
Gabriel S.Ogden		24
Lyman Herrick		25
Spencer Bigelow		26

also A Said township Meeting the following sums of Money was voted to be raised by the Supervisor on the taxable inhabitants and property of the township for payment of township orders To wit fifty Dollars and fifty cents, to pay town orders given for roads laid out pasy Year, Seventy Eight Dollars and thirty cents to pay orders given by town board for ordinary Expences of township also voted by ballot as follows by a majority of Sixty seven votes that the sum of one hundred and twenty one dollars and Seventy one cents be raised by tax to pay the proper charges of D.Thayer and John Lacy, also ordered by forty Eight majority that next town meeting be held at the center of town, also whole number of votes given by ballot for court house, or no court house was one hundred and four and was canvased and result was as follows three votes for court house, and one hundred and one for no court house the whole number of votes given for Licence or no licence were forty four and they were given ballot as follows, thirty nine for licence, and five for no licence, also voted by viva vice at commencement of Said Meeting that the votes at this town meeting vote by ballot on the Question for new court house, also by ballot to raise money to pay the accounts of Derias Thayer and John Lacy and also that we adjourn this town meeting by ballot, also that we have no assessors but the Supervisor for the Ensuing year, also that we have four constables the above votes viva voice caried unanimous also we Declair and certify that as Linas Lamb and Elstin J.Horton hereby received and Eequal number of votes for the office of treasurer, that Linas Lamb was the choise by lot also as Spencer Bigelow and Horatio Wright received an Eequal number of votes for the office of School Inspect -or for full term we hereby Declare and certify that Spencer Figelow was the choice by lot, and we further certify that it was resolved by the meeting that their be four pound masters for the town and that the following persons were elected by viva voice vote for Said office to wit

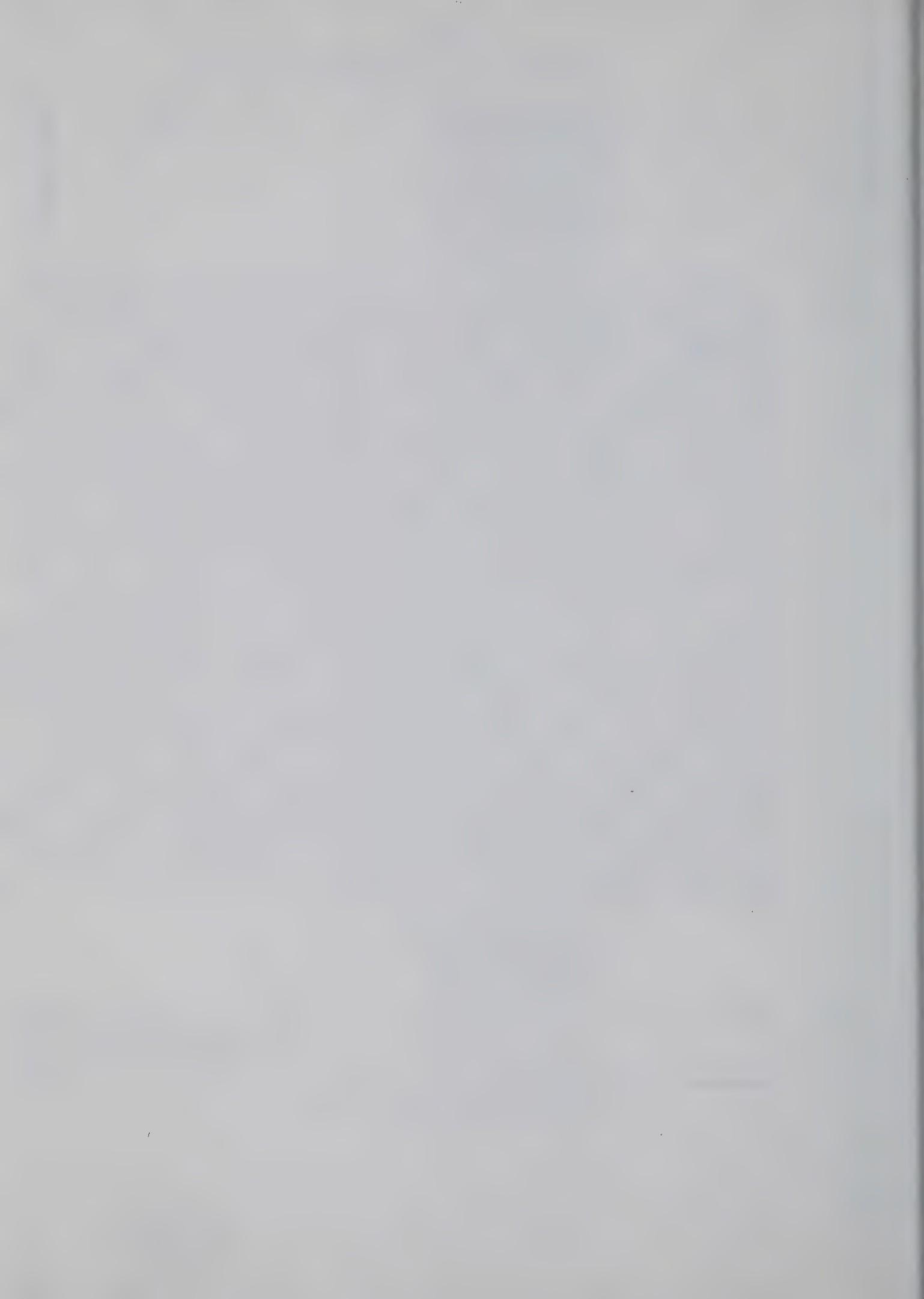
Nicholas Stephens  
Henry W.Horton  
John Husted  
John Uptegraff

Dated Groveland April 2 nd 1849

William H Putnam Supervisor  
John Campbell Town Clerk  
Wm L Narrin Justice of the  
Peace

Recorded April 5 th 1849

by Henry Hunt Dept Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At a meeting of the Supervisor and town clerk at the supervisors office held on the 12 th day of May 1849 the following persons was selected for grand and petit jurors viz

	{ Henry W Horton
for Grand Jurors	{ Calvin Mills
	{ William L Narrin
	{ James Webster
	{ Ashley Rathbone
for petit Jurors	{ Amos Wolverton
	{ Horatio Wright
	{ John Pettis

Signed by the Supervisor and town Clerk  
and recorded the 12 th Day of May 1849 by  
Henry Hunt Dept town clerk

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March 26 th 1850

Town board settels with treasurer of the township of Groveland Cr

by township orders	\$ 253.51
by cash paid to School District No 1 of Groveland	37.37
Do do 2	2.27
Do do 4	9.00
Do do 7	14.50
non resident highway tax	20.08
Cash pd on Order of a ----- for Library	25.00
" " " Directors of Mill Tax	24.18
" " by vote of T Meeting in Reg <sup>d</sup> of Town Tax	22.87
Balanced 1851	\$ 408.78

& filled out by Jno Campbell Dpy Town Clerk  
March 3dth 1852

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Township of Groveland, Oakland

Linas Lamb treasurer

Dr

for Amt Due on assessment roll for payment of town orders	\$ 253.51
township library	25.00
aportionment to School	24.18
School District No 1 of ----- & Hawley	37.37
Do G B & Independence	2.27
No 4 G & Hawley	9.00
No 7 G ---	14.50
Non resident Highway tax	20.08
of money accruing from ballance in treasurer	22.87
	\$ 408.78



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Present town board at the house of T.H.Terwillegar 26 th of March 1850 viz John Campbell Supervisor Henry Hunt Clerk, Alexander Downey & Wm L Narrin Justice of the Peace

John Campbell Supervisor

Henry Hunt Dept town Clerk

Wm L Narrin      ) Justice  
                    ) of the  
Alexander Downey) Peace

Recorded March 26 th 1850 by Henry Hunt, Dept Clerk

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At a meeting of the township bord of the township of Groveland at the house of T.H.Terwillegar on the 26 th Day of March 1850 present John Campbell Supervisor Henry Hunt Dept Clerk Alex. Downey Wm L Narrin Justices of the peace the following orders where then allowed

No 4	for T J Ewel	----	\$ 4.50
No 2	for Thomas Hadley		5.00
No 3	for Wm L Narrin		3.50
No 1	for Wm L Putnam		2.50
No 5	for A D Perry		6.88
No 6	for Lewis L Huested		2.00
No 7	for Linus Lamb		2.80
No 8	for Gabriel S Ogden		2.00
No 9	for John Campbell		22.82
No 10	for Henry Hunt		15.81
No 11	for Ezra R Parshall		4.00
No 12	for Nancey Webster		20.00
No 13	for Alexander Downey		1.00
No 14	for Hugh Quennan		15.00
No 15	for Nicholas Stephens		0.50
No 16	for Spencer Bigelow		3.00
Whole Amt			<u>111.31</u>

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we the undersigned Inspectors of the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland State of Michigan Do hereby certify that at the annual Township Meeting held on the 1 st day of Apr 1850, at the Wilkins School House in said Township after canvassing the votes received by Ballot the result was as follows to wit

The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor was one hundred and seventy four they was given to the following persons viz ninety four of them for Wm H Putnam Eighty of them for Henry W.Horton

No of  
Votes  
174  
for  
Super-  
visor

The whole number of votes given for the office of Town Clerk was One hundred and sixty seven and they were given to the following persons viz ninety three of them for Chester S Wilkins seventy four of them for John Campbell

No of  
votes  
given Clerk  
167



Groveland Township records ( cont )

No of Votes given Justice Peace 168	The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of Peace was one hundred and sixty eight and they were given to the following persons viz ninety two of them for Wm L Narrin seventy six of them for Horatio Wright
No of votes for treasurer 172	The whole number of votes given for the office of Treasurer was one hundred and seventy two and they were given to the following persons viz ninety seven of them for Linus Lamb and seventy Eight of them for James Henry
No of votes for School Inspector 171	The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector was One hundred and seventy one and They were given to the following persons viz Eighty four of them for Samuel C Baldwin and Eighty seven of them for Lewis H Husted
No of votes for High Com 171	The whole number of votes given for the office of Highway Commisioner was One hundred and seventy one and they were given to the following persons viz ninety two of them for Bela Cogshall and seventy nine of them for Thomas S Bird
Constables 670	The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables was six hundred and seventy and they were given to the following persons viz ninety two of them for Linus Lamb and Eighty seven of them for Abraham S Husted and Eighty five of them for Meritt Hall and Sixty nine of them for Oscar J Rathbone and ninety one for Moses Farnum and Eighty two of them for Seth L Herriman and Eighty two of them for Leander Clark and Eighty two of them for Andrew More
Overseer poor 335	The whole number of votes given for the office of Overseer of the poor was three hundred and thirty five and they were given to the following persons Eighty five of them for Nickalus Stevens and Eighty of them for Amos Wolverton and Eighty two of them for Harvey Mudge and Eighty Eight of them for Samuel Wilkins

At the same meeting Nickalos Stevens was elected Pound Master

John Campbell	Sup
Wm L Narrin	Jus
Henry Hunt	Dept Clerk

Recorded Apr 4 th 1850

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

We the undersigned Inspectors do hereby certify that the following persons are Elected to their respective offices as follows

William H Putnam	Supervisor
Chester S Wilkins	Town Clerk
William L Narrin	Justice of Peace
Linus Lamb	Treasurer
Bela Cogshall	Highway Commissioner
Lewis H Husted	School Inspector
Linus Lamb	Constable
Abraham S Husted	Constable
Merritt Hall	Constable
Moses Farnum	Constable
Samuel Wilkins	Overseer of Poor
Nicholas Stevens	Overseer of Poor
Nicholas Stevens	Pound Master

At the same meeting it was voted and carried the money and accounts audittd by the Township Board excepting twenty two dollars and 87/100 that remains in the hands of the Treasurer Shall be Raised to pay town orders

We further certify that the following persons were elected to the office of Overseers of highways by viva voice by Direction of said electors to wit

Names	No of District
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Benjamin Phelps	1
Abraham Bixler	2
John Uptergraff	3
Jesse Jones	4
John Campbell	5
Daniel F Johnson	6
John Husted	7
Henry W Horton	8
Avery Worth	9
Thomas Phipps	10
David Powell	11
Stephen Woodruff	12
William L Narrin	13
George D Terry	14
Henry W Peck	15
John Hadley	16
John B Hamelton	17
Seth Herriman	18
Linus Lamb	19
Harvey Mudge	20
Nelson Graham	21
Hiram Ainsley	22
Ashley Rathbone	23
Gabriel S Ogden	24
Franklin Hurlbert	25
John Phipps	26
Wandle Willis	27
Daniel Meritt	28

At the annual Township Meeting held at the Wilkins School House



Groveland Township records ( cont )

on the first day of Apr 1850 At which time the following resolutions were past first that their Should be four Constables Elected for the ensuing year and also that the Supervisor Should do the assessing for the ensuing year and that the Township Meeting Should be adjourned by ballot

Also At the same meeting A vote was taken and caried that the Library Books of the Library of said Township Or a portion of said books to be Selected by the School Inspectors and to be Sold by them at auction at the fall election to the highest bidder

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Groveland Apr the 4 th 1850

I have this day appointed James Wilkins Deputy Township Clerk who has duly qualified for the same

Recorded Apr 4 1850

Chester S.Wilkins Town Cle:

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I certify that I have given notice to the County Clerk of the Election of Wm L Narrin to the office of Justice of the Peace for the full term of 4 years Also that Linus Lamb, Abram S Husted Marit Hall and Moses Farnum was Elected to the office of constables for the ensuing year in the Town of Groveland the above persons being Elected at the annual Township Meeting held at the Wilkins School house in this Town of Groveland

Dated this 8 day of Apr 1850

Chester S Wilkins Town Cle:

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I certify that I did give Nelson Graham notice of his Election of the office of Overseer of Highway in district No 21 the name of said Graham not being on the Poll list of Township Meeting held on the first day of Apr. 1850

Chester S Wilkins Town Cle:

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At the annual Township meeting held at the Wilkins School House on the first day of April A D 1850 the whole Number of votes given on the licence question was Fifty one and they were given in the following mannor Thirty Eight of them for licence and Thirteen of them for no licence also that next Township meeting be held at the Wilkins School House

Township Board of the Above Town Meeting

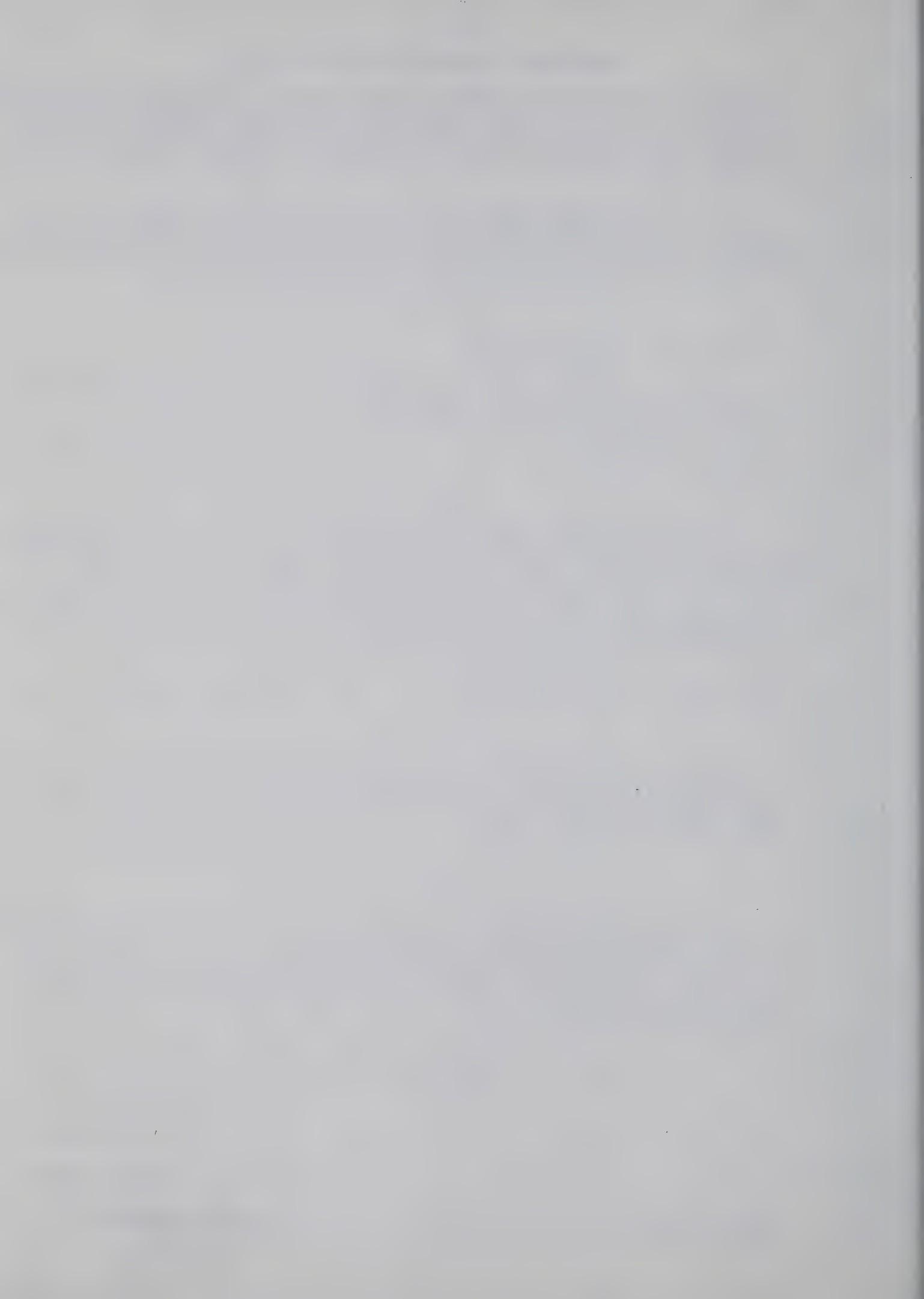
John Campbell Supervisor

Henry Hunt Dept Clerk

William L Narrin Justice

Recorded April the 4 A D 1850

Chester S Wilkins Town Cler



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At a meeting b<sup>e</sup> the Supervisor and the Town Clerk held at the House of the Supervisor the following Persons was Chosen for Pettit and Grand Jurors viz

For Grand Jurors	For Pettit Jurors
Horatio Wright )	Bela Cogshall )
John Campbell )	James Wilkins )
Alexander Wheeler)	Lewis H Husted )

Wm H Putnam Supervisor

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Recorded May the 7 th A D 1850 by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Dr	Linus Lamb Treasurer	\$	cts
for State and County purposes		377.73	
For general Township Purposes		88.44	
Rejected Taxes		5.80	
Hill tax for Library and school		48.17	
Delinquent Highway Taxes		8.43	
School taxes	Numbers	1	1.21
		4	24.97
		5	8.66
		6	10.44
		7	3.44
		10	17.88
To Amount of last years fund		595.17	
		22.87	

Groveland January the 2 th 1851 by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Money Remaining in Treasurer hands found by Settlement April 8 th A D 1851 which is as follows

For general Township purposes	15.48
Highway Taxes	8.43
Library Money	1.46
Hill Money	23.17
Licence Money	5.00
Linus Lamb Dr to	\$ 53.54 <sup>c</sup>

Entered this 8 th day of April A D 1851 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At a Meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held on the first day of Apr A D 1851 at the House of John B Hamelton in said Town present James Wilkins Supervisor Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk Alexander Downey & Harvey Mudge Justices of the Peace the following accounts was there Allowed to wit

No	cts
1	Bela Cogshall 6.00
2	Linus Lamb 4.00
3	Hugh Queenen 13.00
4	Peter Feagan 1.00
5	William R Kendal .50
6	Timothy Ostrander .50
7	Chester S Wilkins 13.41
8	Abram D Perry 3.00
9	William L Narrin 2.50
10	James Wilkins 2.55
11	Alexander Downey 3.25
12	Harvey Mudge 1.50
13	Lewis H Husted 1.00
14	Franklin Hurlbert 1.00
15	John Campbell 2.50
16	John Stone 1.00
17	James G. Norton 1.00
18	Thomas Hadley 5.50
19	William H Putnam 30.85
20	Henry Hunt 1.50
21	Spencer Bigelow 5.50 total 95.56
	5.50
22	Nickolus Stevens 103.06
	total 103.06

Recorded this 2<sup>d</sup> day of April A D 1851 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

allowed Nov 4 th 1851

23	J.G.Crombie	9.00
24	Allen Campbell jr	12.50
25	Dan F. Johnson	3.00

Total amount of Town Orders to be Paid 1851

\$ raised on Tax roll of that year

Certified to Supervisor by Town Clerk

Allen Campbell Town Clerk  
by  
Jno Campbell Deputy

Paid by dubill 7.91  
Linus Lamb Credit 8.00



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Groveland 1851 Town meeting

We the undersigned Poll Inspectors of the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland do hereby certify that at the Annual Township Meeting held on the first Monday in April A D 1851 at the Wilkins School House near the Center of said Township after Canvassing the Votes received by ballot the result was as follows, To wit the whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor was one hundred & sixty five and they were given for the following persons to wit, Eighty Eight of them for Daniel F Johnson & Seventy Seven of them for Amos Orton

Supervisor  
T.Clerk  
The whole number of votes given for the office of Town Clerk was One Hundred & Sixty Six, Ninety Nine of them for Allen Campbell jnr & Sixty Seven of them for John B.Hamilton

Justice  
Justice to fill vacancy  
The whole number of Votes given for Justice was One Hundred & Sixty Six, Ninty five of them for Henry W. Horton; and Seventy one of them for Alexander Downey

Treasurer  
The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice to fill vacancy was One Hundred & Sixty three, Ninty Two of them for Daniel Merrit & Seventy One of them for John Bowman

Commissioner of Highways  
The whole number of Votes given for the office of Treasurer was One Hundred & Fifty Four, Eighty Eight of them for Elstin J Horton & Sixty Six of them for John Ritchie

School Inspector  
The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioner of Highways was One Hundred & Seventy One, Eighty Six of them for Gabriel S Ogden & Eighty five of them for James Wilkins

Constables  
The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector was One Hundred & Seventy and they were given for the following persons to wit, Eighty Nine of them for Ira H.Marsh & Eighty One of them for Thomas J Ewell

Overseers of Poor  
The whole number of votes given for the office of Constable was Six Hundred & Seventy Nine, and they were given for the following persons, to wit. for Moses Farnham j Ninty, To Solomon Toby, Ninty. To Amos Wolverton Eighty Three For Hiram Ainsley Eighty Eight. For Roger P Bardwell, Seventy Eight. For Hiram Moleby Eighty Four. for Alfred P Husted Eighty Three. for Abraham S Husted Eighty Three

The whole number of votes given for the office of Directors of Poor was Three Hundred and Forty Four and they were given for the following persons to wit, for James Henry Eighty Nine, For Henry W.Peck Eighty Eight. For Samuel Wilkins Eighty Four. For Linus Lamb Eighty Three



Groveland Township records ( cent )

And we further certify that the following persons received a majority of the votes given and are Elected to the office set opposite their respective names To Wit

Daniel F Johnson	Supervisor
Allen Campbell jnr	Town Clerk
Elstin J Horton	Treasurer
Henry W Horton	Justice
Daniel Merrit	Justice to fill vacancy
Gabriel S Ogden	Commissioner of Highways
Ira H Marsh	School Inspector
Moses Farnham jnr	Constable
Solomon Tobey	"
Hiram Ainsley	"
Hiram Moleby	"
James Henry	Overseer of Poor
Henry W Peck	" "

And we further certify that the following Persons were declared duly Elected.( Said persons being Elected viva voce ) as Overseers of Highway in the Districts pposite their respective names, To Wit

	in Road District No
Amos Orton	1
Samuel Clemens	2
Matthew Mc Cormick	3
James G Quick	4
John Campbell	5
Daniel F Johnson	6
John Husted	7
Peter Ingersoll	8
Avery Worth	9
Thomas Phipps jnr	10
Alfred Fox	11
Jeremiah Thompson	12
William L Narrin	13
Chester S Wilkins	14
Elstin J Horton	15
John Hadley	16
John Bowman	17
John Lacy	18
Linus Lamb	19
Harvey Mudge	20
Carleton Cornwell	21
Erastes Burt	22
Dan R Lord	23
Gabriel S Ogden	24
Isaac Holsted	25
Darius H Stone	26
Alfred Richmond	27
Allan Campbell S <sup>nr</sup>	28
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It was voted viva voce that the above Overseers of Highways be likewise Pound Master

It was likewise voted that their should be Ninty Five dollars raised by the Supervisor on the Taxable inhabitants and property of the Township likewise that their should be Two dollars raised in the same manner to Pay Nicholas Stevens for building a Pound



Groveland Township records ( cont. )

It was likewise voted that the Supervisors do the Assessing, like wise to have Four Constables, the Town Meeting to be adjourned by ballot. likewise that a Committee of three be appointed to Select Library books considered useless, the same to be sold at the General Election in November 1851. The following persons were appointed for a Committee, John Campbell, Chester S Wilkins, Horatio Wright.

likewise that a book case be purchased for the purpose of keep ing the Township Library into, the same not to cost over Ten dollars. There was a vote taken by ballot for the adjournment of the town meeting which resulted as follows To Wit the whole number of votes One Hundred & Twelve There was Fifty Six of them in favour of ad-journing to J B Hamiltons & Fifty Six of them in favour of adjourning to meet at the Centre being a tie the choice by Lot was for the Centre

April 8 th 1851 ( Recorded by Allen Campbell j<sup>n</sup>r  
                        ( Township Clerk

We the undersigned Township Board do hereby Certify the above statement to be True and Correct & that the above named Persons were duly Elected to their respective offices as appears in the above Statement

James Wilkins Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk  
Alexander Downey Justice  
of Peace

Given under our hands at Groveland this 7 th day of April 1851

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I hereby Certify that I have this day appointed John Campbell Deputy Town Clerk

April 8 th 1851

Allen Campbell j<sup>n</sup>r Town Clerk

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I do hereby Certify that I have duly notified Hiram Ainsley, that he has been Elected to the office of Constable, said Ainsleys --- ~~Notice served~~ name not being on the Poll List. Notice served by Hiram Moleby Constable

April 8 th 1851

Allen Campbell j<sup>n</sup>r Town Clerk

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I do hereby Certify that I have given due notice according to law, of a meeting of the School Inspectors of the Township of Groveland to meet at the School house in District No 3 of Groveland on the 30 th day of April 1851

Recorded April 18 th A D 1851

Allen Campbell j<sup>n</sup>r Town Clerk

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Whereas a vacancy has occoured in the Office of Highway Commissioner for the Township of Groveland for the Constitutional term commencing on the Eighth day of April A D 1851 said vacancy occoured



Groveland Township records ( cont )

in consequence of the inability of Gabriel S. Ogden to act as such Commissioner, he having been duly Elected at the last annual Township Meeting held at the Wilkins School House in said Township of Groveland on the Seventh day of April last

Now we the undersigned members of the Township board of the Township of Groveland do hereby appoint John Campbell to fill said vacancy for as much of said unexpired Term as we are by law authorized to fill by appointment in Witness whereof we have this day set our hand and Subscribed the same

May 1 st 1851

Daniel F Johnson Supervisor  
Allen Campbell Jnr Town Clerk  
Alexander Downey Justice of  
the peace

Recorded this May 2<sup>nd</sup> A D 1851

Allen Campbell Jnr Town Clerk

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At a Meeting of the Supervisor and Town Clerk of the Township of Groveland held at the house of Daniel F Johnson the following persons were appointed as jurors for the ensuing year, to Wit

for Grand Jurors	( James Henry
	( Henry Hunt
	( Joseph Jennings Jnr
	( Thomas S Bird
For Petit jurors	( Clark Burt
	( Laban Jenks

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Daniel F John<sup>r</sup> Supervisor

Allen Campbell Jnr Town Clek

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Groveland A.D. 1851

The General Election was held at the Wilkins School House near the Centre of the Town on the 4 th day of November. Board of Inspectors was Daniel F Johnson, Supervisor, Harvey Mudge Justice of peace, Allen Campbell Jnr Town Clerk, Ira H Marsh Appointed Clerk - Whole number of Votes polled(106) One Hundred & Six Democratic Majority of two votes ---

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At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland at the house of J.B.Hamelton in said Town on Tuesday March 30th 1852 - John Campbell was duly appointed Township Clerk for said town & duly Qualified for the same before Harvey Mudge Justice of the Peace in said town

Recorded March 31 st 1852 By John Campbell Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Account with Treasurer of Township of Groveland, Oak<sup>d</sup> County

Elstin J Horton Treasurer of Township of Groveland in the Count:  
of Oakland Debtor to Said Township as follows

To wit: November 15 th A.D. 1851

" Pay Township Orders	\$127.56
" " 2 Mill Tax	96.13
" " School dist No 1.	110.00
" " " " 3.	75.44
" " " " 7.	14.00
" " " " 10.	7.73
" " Highway Tax	6.30

Dr.

To County & State Tax

To wit: - County "	\$384.55
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State "	179.30
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Rejected	7.48
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Total of Taxes	\$1008.49
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Dr. Amount raised on roll

" of 2 percent on non resident lands	1050.69
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2.50
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Treasurers fees on amount Collect <sup>d</sup>	\$ 37.82
Leaving Elstin J Horton Indebted	
To Township of Groveland on Settlement	
made with him by Township Board of	
Groveland at the house of J.B.Hamelton	
March 30 th Anno Domino, 1852	

To Wit: from Hamiltons said settlement adjourned

to Wilkins School house at noon April 3 d 1852

E.J.Norton Dr To - Cash Rec <sup>d</sup> from lamb	\$ 23.00
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" Dr to Cash raised on tax roll 1851	
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to pay T.Orders - 314.20	15.50
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" " Cash raised on tax roll 1851 to pay	
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School Dist N 21	8.75
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" to amount of 2 per cent Non Resident land	2.50
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" " " Tax Roll over run	1.87
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1852, At the annual Meeting of the township board of the Town  
ship of Groveland at the house of J.B.Hamelton on Tuesday March 30 th  
1852, E.J.Horton, Treasurer of Said Town was Credited as follows  
To Wit:

By Township Orders Canceled	112.06
" of Mill Tax paid out	66.08
" Cash to assessor of Dist N <sup>o</sup> 1	101.25
" " " " 3	75.44



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Cr To State County & Rejected Tax \$ 571.33

E.J.Horton Cr April 3<sup>d</sup> 1852

To Cash Paid on order of School Inspectors for Books  
of the Money Received from Lamb \$ 1.41

E.J.Horton Cr April 4 th 1853

Delivered to Tho Phipps a Dubill for 8.75

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Accounts Audited 1852 in Groveland Oakland County

At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland at the house of J. B.Hamelton In said township held March 30 th 1852, Present Daniel F.Johnson, Supervisor John Campbell Town Clerk Harvey Judge Justice of Peace whose term of office soonest expires & Henry W Horton the remaining Justice of the Peace who was notified for that Purpose the following accounts was allowed on the affidavit of the several Persons

No 1. John Campbell as Town Clerk  
1851- April 7 th 8 th 1 day Clerk of Election &  $\frac{1}{2}$  day  
Canvassing votes \$ 1.50

1852- Jan 1 st & Feby 16 th To Recording Road & S<sup>1</sup> Dist  
aneul(?) 1.50  
Feby 13 th- Posting notice & Recording proceedings-  
Morris road 1.00  
March 1 st- writing & posting 4 notices of reso-  
lutions for T. Meeting 1.00  
30 th - Board of auditors postage & stationary  $\frac{1.43}{6.43}$

No 2. John Campbell, Hy Com  
1851 May 12 & 13 th, 2 days at Road Lists 2.00  
July 14 th removeing Obstruction in Highway 1.50

1852 Feby 12 th- 1 day laying Morris "oad 1.00  
" 19 th & 21 Meeting arbitrators at Hawkinsens  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  day at A Campbells 1.00  
" 5.50

No 3. Bela Cogshall, Hy Com.  
1851 & 2, To 2 days assessing Highway Tax 2.00  
" " 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  days to Lay out road & meet at  
arbitrators, Morris road  
" " 2 different times at Campbells 1.50  
" To settling with Town Board last year & this 2.00  
" 7.00

No 4. James Wilkins, Supervisor  
1851 April 7 th & 8 th- 1 day Inspector of Town Meeting &  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  Day Canvassing votes \$ 1.50



Groveland Township records ( cont )

No.5 Chester S.Wilkins, Town Clerk

1851, April 7 th & 8 th- 1 Day Clerk, Town meeting  
    ½ Day Canvassing votes                                  1.50

No 6. Ira H. Marsh School Inspector

1851, April To 2 days to Examine Teachers 2.00  
 " " " 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " forming S<sup>t</sup> Dist & Examine Library 1.50  
 " " " 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Clerk of Election & to report to Co.  
 Clerk 1.50  
 5.00

No 7.	George C. Morris Claimants on Road laid by Hy Coms	\$ 0.25
No 8.	Ira Green	( Feby 12 th 1852
No 9.	James Thompson	\$ 7.50
No 10.	Francis H Hankinson, fix <sup>d</sup> by arbitration	\$ 16.00
No 11.	Jacob Deeter $\frac{1}{2}$ day arbitrators	0.50
No 12.	Joseph Halsted "	0.50
No 13.	W <sup>m</sup> R Kendall " "	0.50
No 14.	Ez ra K Parshall surveyor 1 day	<u>2.00</u>
		<u>32.25</u>

No 15. Thos Hadley, Highway Commis <sup>r</sup>			
1851 & 52, To 2 days to make out road warrants		2.00	
" " " 1 " on Morris road & 1 day at Campbells		2.00	
" " " $\frac{1}{2}$ " makeing returns		0.50	
		4.50	

No 17. Daniel F. Johnson, Supervisor  
 1851, May, To 10 days assessing 10.00  
 " " 2 " meeting Highway Commissioners 2.00  
 " " 1 " Inspector of Election 1.00  
 " " <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> " B to appoint Hy Com, 1852 to 1 day aud- 1.50  
 iting  
 " makeing assessment roll for Town 527 levies 10.54  
25.04

No 18. Alex<sup>r</sup> Downey Justice of Peace  
1851 To 1 day Inspector of Town meeting &  $\frac{1}{2}$  day Canvassing \$ 1.50  
" "  $\frac{1}{2}$  " to appoint Highway Commissioner 0.50  
\$ 2.00

No 19. Henry W. Morton Justice of Peace  
March 30 th 1852, To 1 day auditing accounts 1.00



Groveland Township records ( cont )

No 20. Elstin J. Horton, Treasurer

1851 To drawing Public & fine money from C. Treas	\$ 2.00
" " Receiving money from Lamb	1.50
" " writing Receipts & paying School Money	1.50
	\$ 5.00

No 21. Allan Campbell jr Town Clerk

1851, Oct 14 th & 20 th	
to makeing Duplicate report to C.Clerk & ( illegible)	
Oct 21 st, writing & posting notice of	\$ 1.00
Election Librarian & postage	1.60
Nov 1 st & 4 th Clerk of Election & meeting	
of School Inspectors	2.00
	\$ 4.60

aggregate amount \$103 .32

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1852

Statement of votes given in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland & State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting held at the Wilkins School House on the Fifth day of April 1852 for the following persons To wit one supervisor one Township Clerk one Treasurer one Justice of the Peace for the full term in place of Harvey Mudge, one to fill vacancy in place of Daniel Merrit, one to fill vacancy in place of William L Narrin one Highway Commissioner for the full term one Highway Commissioner to fill vacancy one School Inspector four Constables two Overseers of Poor. The whole number votes given for the office of Supervisor was one Hundred & forty nine and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety Three of them for Amos Orton, Fifty Six of them for Samuel Glemons. The whole number of votes given for the office of Township Clerk was one Hundred & forty Eight and they were given for the following persons Eighty Eight of them for Chester S Wilkins Sixty of them for Jeremiah Thompson.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Treasurer was one Hundred and Forty four and they were given for the following persons, Eighty Four of them for Thomas Phipps Jr Sixty of them for Elstin J Horton

The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of the Peace full term was one Hundred and Thirty Two and they were given to the following persons viz Eighty Five of them for Horatio Wright Forty Seven of them for Calvin Mills

The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of the Peace to fill vacancies was Two Hundred and Ninety four and they were given for the following persons viz Eighty five of them for Alexander Wheeler Eighty one of them for Lewis H Husted Sixty Six of them for Sidney Smith Sixty two of them for Perius H Stone

The whole number of votes given for the office of Highway Commissioner full Term was One Hundred & forty nine and they were given for the following persons viz Eighty four of them for James Campbell Sixty Five of them for Varnes Maxfield

The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspectors was One Hundred & forty Eight and They were given for the follow



Groveland Township records (( cont . )

ing persons viz Eighty five of them for Lewis H Husted Sixty Three of them for Derius H Stone

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables was Five Hundred & seventy four and they were given for the following persons viz Eighty Six of them for John Hamelton Eighty Three of them for John Lacy Eighty four of them for Thomas Downner Eighty five of them for Alfred E Husted Fifty five of them for Moses Far-num Jr Sixty two of them for George W More Fifty nine of them for Norman Mills Sixty of them for John Pettis

The whole number of votes given for the office of Overseers of Poor was Two Hundred and Ninety five and they were for the following persons viz Eighty Three of them for William D Richmond Eighty Two of them for Carlton Cornwell Sixty Six of them for Henry W Peck, Sixty Two of them for Amos Wolverton

We the undersigned Inspectors of Said Town Meeting after canvas-ing the votes do hereby Certify & declare the following duly elected to their respective offices as follows viz For Supervisor Amos Orton for Township Clerk Chester S Wilkins, for Township Treasurer Thomas Phipps Jr for Justice of the Peace full term Horatio Wright, for vacancy in place of William L Narrin, Alexander Wheeler, for vacancy in place of Daniel Merrit Lewis H Husted, for Commissioner of High-ways full term James Campbell to fill vacancy George C Morris for School Inspectors Lewis H Husted for Constables John Hamelton John Lacy Thomas Downner & Alfred E Husted for Overseers of the Poor Will-iam D Richmond Carlton Cornwell

We also certify that the following persons were Elected to the office of Overseers of Highway in the Respective Road Districts imme-diately after the close of the Polls by viva voce by directions of Said Electors there assembled to wit

Calvin Mills	Benjamin Phelps	Number of Dist
David Frick	accepted	1
John D Miller	accepted	2
Joseph Jennings		3
Lewis H Husted	accepted	4
Truman L Husted		5
John Husted	accepted	6
Henry W Horton	accepted	7
Alexander Downey	accepted	8
Charles Terry	accepted	9
Alfred Fox	accepted	10
Jeremiah Thompson		11
Westel Judge	accepted	12
Andrew More	accepted	13
Henry W Peck	accepted	14
John Hadley		15
James Webster	accepted	16
John Lacy	Thadeus Herriman	17
Hiram Molby	accepted	18
Harlehy Potter	accepted	19
Nelson Grahm	accepted	20
Benjamin Keyes	accepted	21
Israel Bird	accepted	22
John Mc Ginnis		23
Isaac Halsted	accepted	24
Derius H Stone		25
Alfred Richmond	accepted	26
Charles Halsted	accepted	27
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- Groveland Township records ( cont )

Also at said Township Meeting it was voted before the opening of the Polls that there be no Assessors Elected also that there ~~own meet-~~  
~~be~~ four Constables Elected also that the Town Meeting be adjourned by Ballot also voted at said Town Meeting during the adjournment at noon that the sum of one Hundred & three Dollars & 32/100 be raised by the Township of Groveland in the year 1852 for the payment of Township Orders to be Taxed upon the Taxable property of said Township by the Supervisor thereof

At the opening of the Polls Harvey Mudge the Justice of the Peace whose term of office soonest expires not being Present the Electors Present voted viva voce that Henry W Norton be Inspector of said Town meeting Elected.

Also it was ordered that the balloting for the adjournment ( by the voters present before the opening of the Polls be done by writing the same on the Back of their Tickets when voting for Town officers we also certify the result of Said balloting for said adjournment was as follows The whole number of votes for said adjournment was one Hundred & three and they were given for the following Places viz Sixty five of them for Wilkins School House or Center Thirty Eight of them for John B.Hamelton or Groveland Cottage

We hereby Certify that the above is a correct Statement of the votes given in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting held at the Wilkins School House in said Township on the Fifth day of April One Thousand Eight Hundred & fifty two

Daniel F Johnson Supervisor

John Campbell Town Clerk

Henry W Horton Justice of  
Peace voted in by Electors

April 7 th 1852

Recorded by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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I hereby Certify that I have this day appointed James Wilkins  
Deputy Town Clerk

April 7 th 1852

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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I hereby Certify that I have duly notified Nelson Graham, David Frick, John Husted Isaac Halsted & Charles Halsted that they was Elected to the office of Overseers of Highway Their names not being on the Poll list

April 7 th 1852

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Town Clerk ( the Supervisor being absent ) and the Justices Elected to fill vacancy I certify the Justices did draw by lot to their respective offices as follows

Alexander Wheeler drawed for 2 years & Lewis H Heusted for 1 year the above meeting was held at the Wilkins School House in the Township of Groveland on Saturday the tenth day of April 1852 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Account with Treasurer

Thomas Phipps Jr Treasurer of Township of Groveland County of Oakland Debtor to Said Township as follows  
To wit November 29 th 1852

Amount of State & County tax	\$ 441.94
Amount of rejected tax for 1847	1.78
Amount of Personal Charges back for 1851	3.69
Amount of School tax	130.27
Amount of Highway tax	5.26
Amount of fees for Treasurer	32.60
Amount of Taxes for Town purposes	103.36
Amount of tax for School & library purposes	<u>101.35</u>
whole amt	820.25

by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

amt of 4 per cent on nonresident lands	2.11
Received from E J Horton	13.49
Received from Linus Lamb	8.00
Received of Lamb dubill for	7.91
Received of E J Horton dubill for	8.75
Received from County Treasurer for Library purposes	4.43
Received from Treasurer of Holly	3.52
	868.44

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At the annual meeting of the Town Board of the Township of Groveland holden at the House of John Masons on Tuesday the 29 th day of March A D 1853 Thomas Phipps Jr Treasurer of Said Town was credited as follows

To Town orders canceled	\$ 97.07
Amount of mill Tax	49.94
Amount for School Dist purposes	145.50
Amount of State & County tax	447.39
Treasurer fees	32.60
Paid out of moneys received from Horton	11.33
Credit by dubill received of Horton	<u>8.75</u>
	792.58
Credit by Receipts brought forward	50.41
	842.99
Found due on settlement	<u>25.47</u>
	868.46

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At a meeting of the Township board held at the House of John Masons on Tuesday the 29 th day of March 1853 Present Amos Orton Supervisor, Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk, Lewis H Husted & Alexander Wheeler Justices of the Peace the following accounts were audited and allowed

Daniel F Johnson	\$ 2.00
John Campbell	2.00
Lewis H Husted	12.00
Henry W Horton	2.00



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Ira H Marsh	\$ 10.50
Alexander Wheeler	3.00
E K Parshall	2.00
Bela Cogshall	4.00
James Campbell	3.50
Chester S Wilkins	14.00
Franklin Hulbert	5.00
George C Morris	4.50
Thomas Phipps Jr	6.25
Amos Orton	40.00
Elstin J Norton	2.00
whole amt	112.75

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Statement of votes given at the annual Township meeting in the Township of Groveland County of Oakland & State of Michigan held at the Wilkins School House in said on Monday the 4 th day of April A D 1853 for the following persons to wit one Supervisor one Town Clerk one Treasurer one Justice of the Peace for full Team in place of Lewis H Husted one Highway Commissioner one School Inspector four Constables two Overseers of Poor

The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor was one Hundred and fifty two and they were given for the persons to wit Eighty one of them for Horatio Wright and Seventy one of them for Ira H Marsh

The whole number of votes given for the office of Township Clerk was One Hundred and fifty seven and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty six of them for Chester S Wilkins and Seventy one of them for Jacob More

The whole number of votes given for the office of Treasurer was One Hundred & fifty seven and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty two of them for Thomas Phipps Jr and Seventy five of them for Hiram Ainsley

The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of the Peace was One Hundred & fifty six and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty two of them for Lewis H Husted and Seventy four of them for Varnis Maxfield

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioner of Highways was One Hundred and fifty five and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty One of them for Calvin Mills and Seventy four of them for Asahel King

The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector was One Hundred and fifty six and they were given for the following persons to wit Seventy nine of them for Thomas J Ewell and Seventy Seven of them for Edgar C Bartlett

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables was Five Hundred & fifteen and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty four of them for Alfred B Husted and Eighty five of them for Morris Mulkins and Seventy Eight of them for Norman Mills and Seventy four of them for Roger P Bardwell and Seventy two of them for Alfred Fox and Sixty five of them for Curtis Earns and Seventy three of them for Hiram Ainsley and Eighty four of them for William Campbell

The whole number of votes given for the office of Overseers of Poor was Three Hundred & Thirty two and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty two of them for Harvey Wellman and Eighty three of them for Thomas B Johnson and Seventy four of them



Groveland Township records ( cont )

for Henry W Peck and Seventy three of them for James Henry

Also at said Town meeting before the opening of the pools it was voted viva voce that adjournment of the said meeting be by ballot by writing the same on the back of the Ticket

The whole number of votes given for the adjournment of said meeting was Ninety Eight and they were given as follows Seventy of them for having it at the Center anf twenty Seven of them for having it at the Oakland Cottage and one of them for having it at Thomas H. Terwilegers

Also that we have no assistant Assessors this year

Also said Town meeting it was voted viva voce that the money to be raised in Town for Township purposes be left to the Township Board to decide how much shall be raised

Also at noon of said day the following persons were Elected to the office of Overseers of Highways in the several Road Districts

	No of Dist
Volney Cole	1
Tolfred Powel	2
Abram Titsworth	3
Chancy Crosby	4
James Campbell	5
Henry S Husted	6
John Husted	7
John Tobey	8
Solomon Tobey	9
Thomas Phipps Jr	10
Antony Dewitt	Varnis Maxfield ( inserted )
Steven Woodruff	11
Dewitt C Narrin	12
Andrew More	13
William P Husted	14
John Hadley	15
James Webster	16
Nathan Upton	Seth L Herriman ( inserted )
Sidney Smith	17
Harvey Mudge	18
Nelson Graham	19
David E Bird	20
Edgar C Bartlett	21
John Mc Ginnis	22
George C Morris	23
William Vansteenburgh	24
Leander Clark	25
Charles Halsted	26
Manly Irish	27
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We hereby Certify that the above is a correct statement given in in the Township of Groveland County of Oakland & state of Michigan at the annual Township meeting held at the Wilkins School House in Said Town on Monday the 4 th day of April A D .1853

Amos Orton Supervisor

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Lewis H Husted Justice of Pa

Recorded this 6 th day of April A D 1853 by

Peace

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk



Groveland Township records (-cont )

At a meeting of the Supervisor and Township Clerk of the Township of Groveland held at the House of the Supervisors in Said Town on Friday the 18 th day of May A.D.1853 the following persons were chosen as juryman for the ensuing year

For Grand Jurors

John H Thomas  
Alexander Downey  
John Hadley

For Petit Jurors

John Lacy  
Ira Green  
Mathew Coons

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Recorded this 13 th day of May A.D. 1853 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held at the House of the Town Clerk on Saturday the 8 th day of October 1853 Present Horatio Wright Supervisor Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk and Alexander Wheeler Justice of the Peace they did then and there agree to raise the sum of One Hundred & twelve dollars & seventy five cents for to pay town Orders that being the amount audited the 29 th of March 1853

Recorded this 10 th day of October 1853 by

Chester S Wilkins T Clerk

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Settlement with D.D.Horton

At a meeting of the Town board of the Township of Groveland held at the House of the Town Clerk on the 18 th day of November 1853 present Horatio Wright Supervisor Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk and Henry W Horton Justice of the Peace, D.D.Horton Indebtedness at this date \$10.59 for which he gave his note

Entered November 19 th 53

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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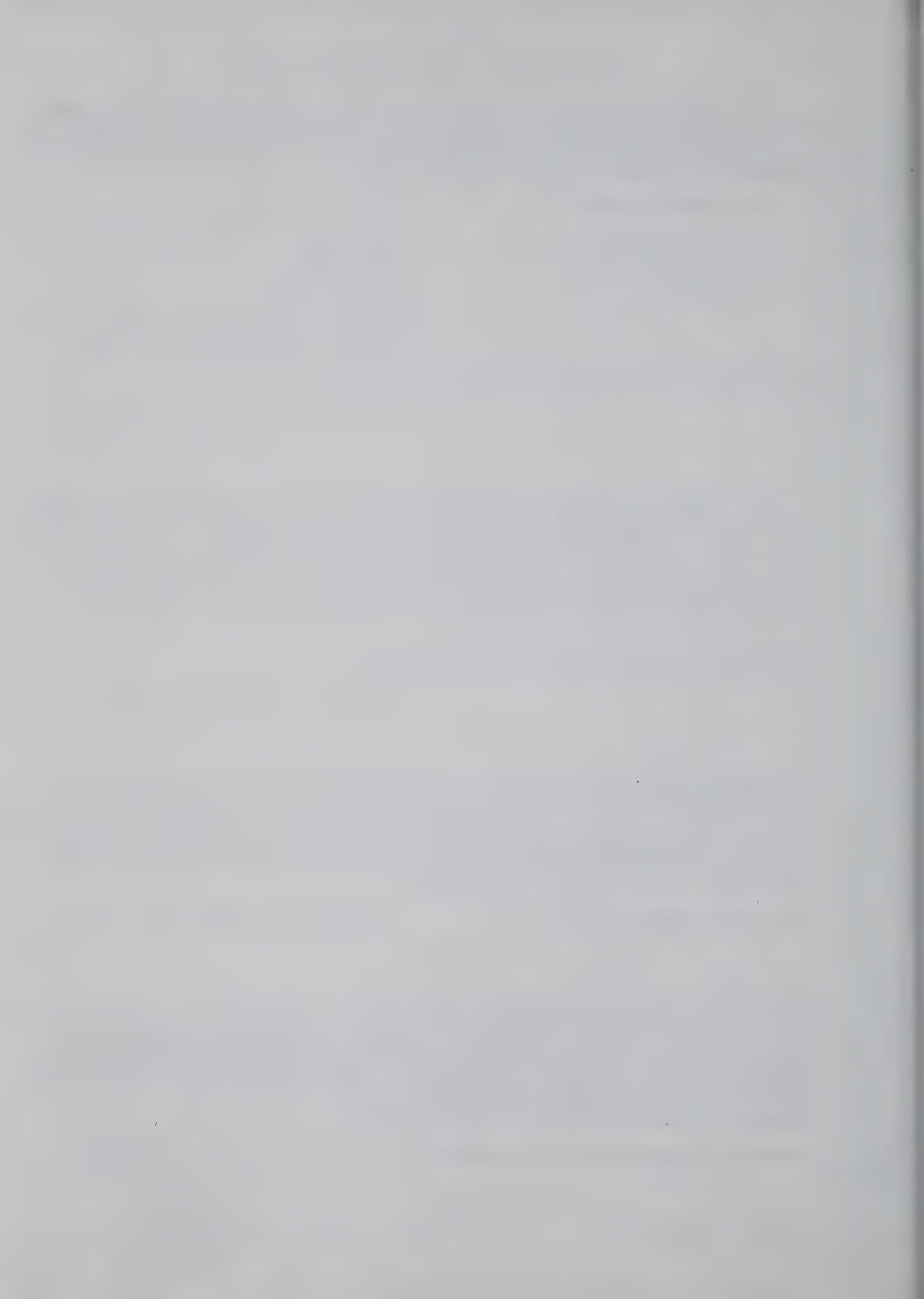
Settlement with E.J.Horton Treasurer

At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held at the House of the Town Clerk on the 19 th day of November 1853 present Horatio Wright Supervisor Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk and Henry W Horton Justice of the Peace. The indebtedness of E.J.Horton at said time was \$1210.71. The credit of E.J.Horton is \$1169.62. Balance due the Town at this date \$41.09

Entered November the 19 th 1853 by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Elstin J Horton Cr



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Elstin J Horton Cr  
December the 23 d 1853  
by Cash paid to Thomas Phipps Jr Treasurer of the Township of  
Groveland --- 32.34  
Dec 23 d by Cash paid to Assessor of School Dist No.one 8.75

Entered December 23<sup>rd</sup> 1853 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Cle

Accounts with Treasurer

Thomas Phipps Jr Treasurer of the Township of Groveland in the  
County of Oakland Debtor to Said Township as follows To wit  
Nov the 10 th 1853

State and County taxes	\$269.39
For Township purposes	112.75
Rejected Tax for 1852	.35
" " School Taxws	48.60
" " one mill tax	218.25
" " Treasurer fees	25.97
" " Total of taxes	675.31
Received a note of D D Horton	10.59
Money received of Husted	39.66
by Cash received of E.J.Horton	32.34
Mill Money received from Holly	3.63
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Primary School fund for current year	127.80
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Amount brought forward from last year	25.47
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	914.80

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At a meeting of the Township boardof the Township of Groveland held at the Inn of John Masons in said Town on Tuesday the 28 th day of March A.D. 1854 present Horatio Wright Supervisor Chester S Wilkin Town Clerk Alexander Wheeler & Henry W horton Justices of the Peace T Thomas Phipps Jr Treasurer of said town was credited as follows

State and County tax	\$269.39
Rejected tax for 1852	.35
For Township purposes	110.75
School Taxes	43.60
One mill tax	135.40
Treasurer fees	25.91
Credit by Old orders of 1852	2.00
Primary School fund	127.80
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	715.26

It was found at said settlement that there is now remaining in said Treasurer hands

199.54

\$914.80



Groveland Township records ( cont )

1854 March 28 th We the undersigned Township Board settled with Thomas Phipps Jr Treasurer and found in the Township of Groveland the Sum of One Hundred and ninety nine and 55/100 dollars which is now in said Treasury

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk  
Henry W Horton J.P.

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At a meeting of the Township board of the Township of Groveland County of Oakland & State of Michigan held at the Inn of John Masons in said Township on Tuesday the 28 th of March 1854 present Horatio Wright Supervisor Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk Alexander Wheeler and Henry W Horton Justices of the Peace the following accounts were audited and allowed to wit

No of Order	Name of Individual	amt allowed
1	John Campbell	\$ 1.50
2	Horatio Wright	35.00
3	Lewis H Husted	8.00
4	Bela Cogshall	1.00
5	Alexander Wheeler	2.00
6	James Campbell	9.00
7	George C Morris	7.00
8	Thomas Phipps Jr	7.75
9	Henry W Horton	3.00
10	Thomas J Ewell	1.00
11	Chester S Wilkins	<u>14.00</u>
		<u>89.25</u>

The above Entry made this 28 th day of March A.D. 1854  
by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Statement of votes given in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting holden on the third day of April A.D. 1854 for the following officers Viz Supervisor Town Clerk Justice of the Peace, Treasurer One Highway Commissioner for full Term and one to fill Vacancy School Inspector four Constables two Overseers of Poor

The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor was One Hundred & fifty three and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety four of them for Horatio Wright and Fifty nine of them for Allan Campbell Jr

The whole number of votes given for the office of Town Clerk was One Hundred and Fifty three and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety six of them for Chester S Wilkins and Fifty Seven of them for Henry W Peck

The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of the Peace was One Hundred and Fifty two and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty Seven of them for James Wilkins and Sixty five of them for Allan Campbell Jr

The whole number of votes given for the office of Treasurer was One Hundred and forty nine and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety four of them for Thomas Phipps and Fifty five of them for George D.Terry



Groveland Township records ( cont )

The whole number of votes given for the office of Highway Commissioner full Term was One Hundred and Fifty two and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty Seven of them for Dennis Lamb and Sixty five of them for Darius H Stone

The whole number of votes given for the office of Highway Commissioner to fill Vacancy was One Hundred and forty seven and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty Six of them for Alexander Downey and Sixty one of them for James G. Quick

The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector was One Hundred and Fifty one and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty one of them for Mathew McCormick and Seventy of them for Edgar C Bartlet

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables was Five Hundred and fifty one and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety four of them for Alfred B Husted & Ninety two of them for Linus Lamb & Ninety of them for Thomas Phipps Jr & Ninety of them for John Hamelton & Fifty two of them for Samuel M Hall & Fifty Nine of them for George Campbell & Fifty two of them for Israel Bird & Fifty Eight of them for Henry Quick

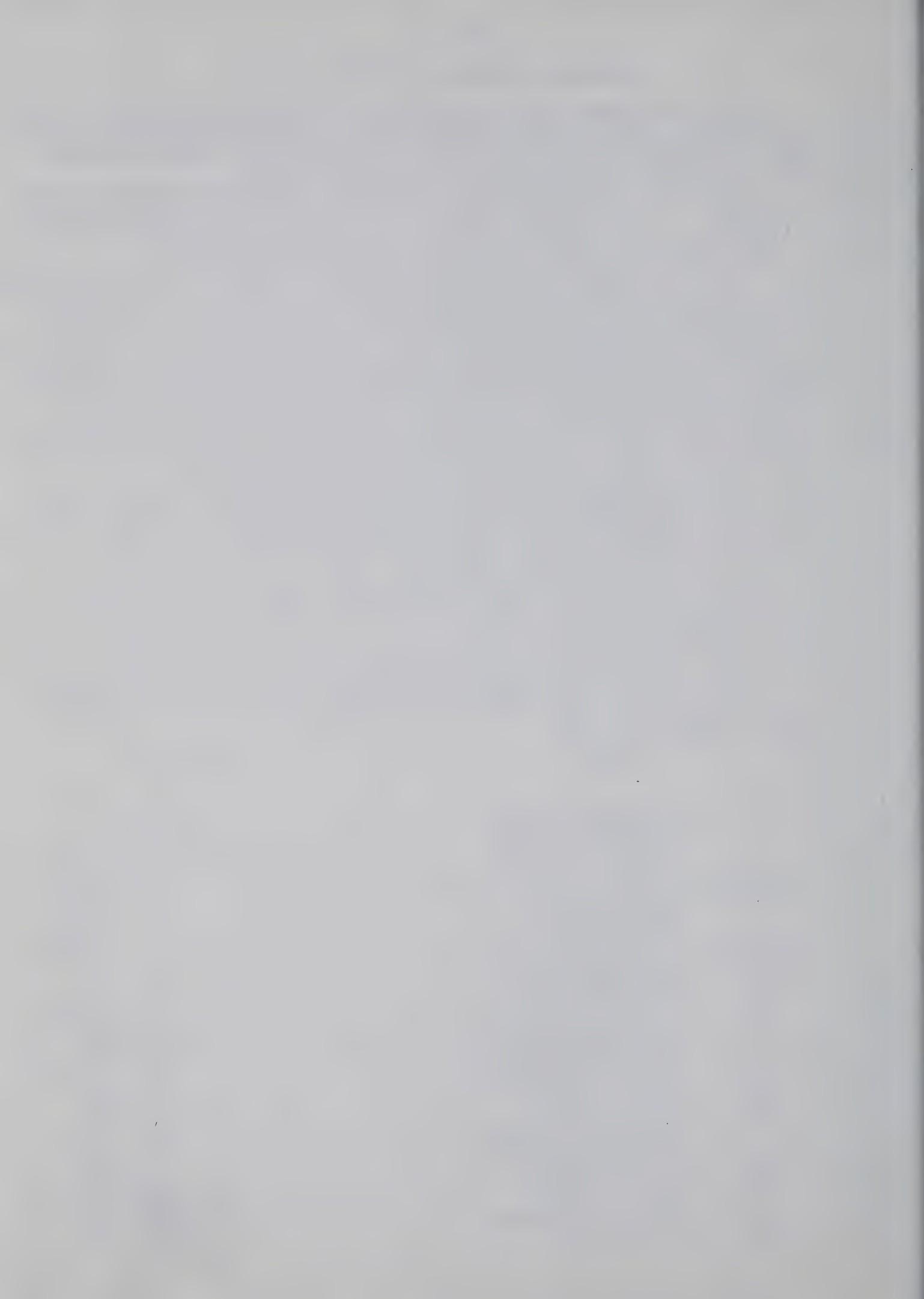
The whole number of votes given for the office of Overseers of Poor was Two Hundred and Ninety four and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty Seven of them for John Lacy & Eighty Seven of them for Harvey Wellman & Sixty of them for James Henry & Sixty of them for Joseph Jennings

Also at Said Town Meeting before the opening of the polls it voted viva voce that it be voted on the Back of the tickets where the next Town Meeting be held

Also at said Town Meeting it was voted viva voce at noon of said day that Every Overseer of Highway be a Pound Master

Also at said Town Meeting at noon of said day the following persons were Elected Overseers of Highways in the Dist set opposite their names viva voce

	Names	No of Dist
accepted	Volney Cole	1 20 1/8
do	Abraham Bicksler	2 42
	John Uptergraff	3 33
	Carr-- Barron	4 67 3/8
accepted	James Campbell	5 33 1/4
do	James Algoe	6 69 5/8
	John Husted	7 12 1/8
accepted	Henry W horton	8 62 1/8
accepted	Alexander Downey	9 33 7/8
Do	Charles Terry	10 20
Do	John H Thomas	11 31 7/8
Do	Stephen Woodruff	12 34 5/8
	John Parkhurst	13 42 1/2
Do	Chester S Wilkins	14 44 5/8
Do	Allan Campbell	15 68 7/8
Do	John Hadley	16 89
	Asahel King	17 118
	Thadeus Herriman	18 41
Do	Hiram Molby	19 37 7/8
Do	Harvey Mudge	20 36 1/2
	R.P. Crnsby	21 19 3/4
Do	Jehiel Powelson	22 65 3/8
Do	Joel Snider	23 38 5/8



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Do	Joel Snider	23	38	5/8
	John Mc Ginnis	24	43	
	Ira Green	25	92 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Do	William Vansteenburgh	26	26 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Do	Leander Clark	27	12	
	Charles Halsted	28	53	
Do	Manly Irish	29	11	5/8
Do	Horatio Wright	30	82	7/8
				1383

Also at said Town Meeting it was voted viva voce that (Bucks) Rams be restrained from going at Large in the Highway of said Township f from and after the first day of August 1854 up to the first day of December following and any person or persons allowing his or their Rams to run at large between the first day of August and first day of December 1854 shall forfeit the sum of five Dollars

We hereby Certify t hat the above is a correct statement of the votes given in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting holden on the Third day of April A.D. 1854

Horatio Wright ) Inspect  
Chester S Wilkins ) -ors of  
Alexander Wheeler ) Town Meet  
 ) -ing Said  
 ) Township

Entered this 4 th day of April 1854 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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I hereby Certify that I have this day appointed James Wilkins Dep-  
uty Town Clerk who has duly qualified for the same

Groveland April 5 th 1854

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held at the House of the Supervisor in said Town on Monday the 22<sup>d</sup> of May A.D. 1854 they did then and there appoint Henry W Horton and Alexander Downey for Directors of the Poor for the Township of Groveland

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Henry W Horton Justice of  
Peace  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Entered May the 23<sup>rd</sup> 1854 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Supervisor and Town Clerk of the Township of Groveland at the House of the Supervisor the 23<sup>rd</sup> of May A.D. 1854 the following persons were selected as Jurymen



Groveland Township records ( cont )

For Grand Jurors -

William VanSteenburgh  
Henry W Horton  
Samuel Wilkins  
Linus Lamb

For Pettit Jurors -

Benjamin Phelps  
Talford Powell  
John Campbell  
Allan Campbell

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Entered May 24 th 1854 by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Town Board of the Township of Groveland held at the Inn of John Masons on Saturday the 30 th day of September A.D.1854 for the purpose of Voting the Amount of Money to be raised in town for the current year for Township purposes and auditing accounts

The amount of Money Voted to be raised was \$ 75.00  
The accounts audited are as follows.

April	Horatio Wright Supervisor	
3rd	To one day Inspector of Town Meeting	1.00
4 th	do to $\frac{1}{2}$ day canvassing Votes	.50
10 th to 17th	To repairing & distributing Assessment blanks	5.00
24 th & after	To taking Assessment 11 days	11.00
	To making assessment Roll 2 days	2.00
May 20 th	To reviewing " " 1 day	1.00
23 & 24 th	To assisting Highway Coms one day & $\frac{1}{2}$	1.50
Sept <sup>r</sup> 30 th	To meeting with Town Board 1 day	1.00
	Amount	23.00

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

April		
4 th 1854th	To giving notice to persons Elected 1 day	1.00
April 3rd 54	To one day clerk of Town Meeting	1.00
" 4 th	$\frac{1}{2}$ day canvassing votes	.50
" 8 th	one day semi annual meeting of Inspectors	1.00
" 19 th	$\frac{1}{2}$ day purchasing Library Books	.50
do	To two quire of Paper	.50
" 6 th	to Entering Proceedings of Town Meeting	1.00
May 22 & 23	To making Duplicates of Road Dist	2.00
Sept <sup>r</sup> 30 th	Meeting with Town Board 1 day	1.00
" 28 th	To writing Election Notices & posting same	1.00
" 15 th	To writing Notices for Board & posting same	.50
	Amount	10.00

Henry W Horton Justice & Director of Poor

May 24 th	To Meeting with Town Board	.50
Sept 30 th	To Meeting with Town Board 1 day	1.00
" "	To one day serving as Director of Poor	1.00
		2.50



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Dennis Lamb Hy. Com.,

May				
22 & 23 <sup>rd</sup>	To two days Making Road Warrants	\$	2.00	
" 31 st	to half day on road		.50	
				2.50

Entered September 30 th 1854 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Account with Treasurer 1854

Thomas Phipps Jr Treasurer of the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan Dr to Said Town as follows, November 12 th 1854

Amount Brought forward from last year	199.54
For State and County Purposes	429.53
" Township Purposes	75.00
Treasurer fees	39.83
" Mill Tax	250.13
Road Tax, Road Dist No 11	3.06
" " " " No 13	2.69
" " " " No 17	1.27
School Tax School Dist No 5	150.00
Fract Dist No 10 Groveland & Springfield	8.60
Dist No 7 " " "	10.43
Fract No 1 Brandon Groveland Independence	6.94
Fract No 4 Groveland and Holly	6.57
Fract No 5 Groveland Rose Holly and Springfield	8.12
Fract No 6 Groveland and Brandon	3.56
Mill Money Received from Holly	5.92
Primary School Money for the Current year	152.55
Library Money Received from County Treasurer	7.63
whole amount	1321.54

Entered by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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1855 March 27 th

We the undersigned Township Board of the Town of Groveland, Settled with Thomas Phipps Jr Treasurer and found due Said Township the sum of Seventy Eight and 35/ 100 dollars which is now in Said Treasurers hands

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Lewis H Husted Justice  
Henry W Horton Justice of the  
Peace  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Thomas Phipps Jr Treasurer of the Township of Groveland Cr March 27 th A D 1855

State & County tax	429.53
Township Orders Canceled	129.75
Mill Money Primary School Money & School Dist	
Money &c.	684.14



Groveland Township records ( cont )

1856 April 1<sup>st</sup>, We the undersigned Town Board of the town of  
Groveland Settled with Thomas Phipps Jr late Treasurer and ballanced  
the Books in full Horatio Wright Supervisor

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk  
Lewis H Husted Justice of  
the Peace

At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland County of Oakland & State of Michigan held at the Tavern Stand of John Masons on Tuesday the 27 th day of March A D 1855 the following accounts were audited

1	Amos Orton	\$ 3.50
2	Thomas J Ewell	9.00
3	Jonus Bowman	66.00
4	Lyman W Spaulding	40.00
5	Daniel Merrit	5.00
6	Joseph Halsted	75.00
7	Chester S Wilkins	8.00
8	Mathew Mc Cormick	2.00
9	Alexander Downey	7.25
10	Henry W Horton	5.50
11	Allan Campbell	1.50
12	Horatio Wright	16.50
13	Lewis H Husted	1.00
14	Thomas Phipps Jr	8.75
15	Alexander Wheeler	1.50

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Recorded this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 1855 by

Statement of votes given in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland & State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting holden on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April 1855. For the following officers viz Supervisor, Town Clerk, Justice of the Peace, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, School Inspector, four Constables and two Inspectors of the Poor.

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Supervisor was One Hundred & fifty two and they were given for the following persons to wit One Hundred & five of them for Horatio Wright and Forty seven of them for Derius H Stone

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Township Clerk was One Hundred & fifty Seven and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety four of them for Chester S Wilkins and Sixty three of them for Allan Campbell

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Justice of the Peace was One Hundred & fifty three and they were given for the following persons to wit Seventy four of them for Alexander Downey and Seventy nine of them for Henry W Horton

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Treasurer



Groveland Township records ( cont )

was One Hundred and fifty seven and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety One of them for Lyman Herrick and Sixty Six of them for Daniel Merritt

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Highway Commissioner was One Hundred & Fifty Eight and they were given for the following to wit Ninety three of them for Thomas Phipps Jr and Sixty five of them for Joseph Jenings

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of School Inspector was One Hundred and fifty Six and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty three of them for Thomas J Ewell and Seventy three of them for Wesley D Brown

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Constable was Nine Hundred and twenty five and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty nine of them for Lyman Herrick and Eighty nine of them for Alfred B Husted and Eighty Eight of them for Chester S Wilkins and Eighty five of them for Stephen Woodruff and Sixty five of them for Charles Henry and Sixty Six of them for Joel Murwin and Sixty four of them for Cornelius S Hunt and Sixty One of them for David Hadley

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Overseer of Poor was Three Hundred & Eight and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty nine of them for Samuel Wilkins and Eighty nine of them for William P Husted and Sixty Six of them for James Henry & Sixty four of them for James G Quick

Also at the said Township Meeting between the hours of Twelve and One of said day there was Elected *viva voce* the following persons for Overseers of Highways several Road Districts Set opposite their names

No of Dist

1	Holsey Phelps
2	John Perritt
3	John D Miller
4	Carrh D Barron
5	John Campbell
6	William Vallough
7	John Husted
8	Henry W Horton
9	Solomon Tobey
10	Thomas Phipps Jr
11	Charles Murwin
12	Stephen Woodruff
13	Dewitt C Narrin
14	Nelson Wilkins
15	William P Husted
16	John Hadley
17	Lyman W Spaulding
18	Seth L Herriman
19	Sidney Smith
20	Leander Clark
21	Nelson Graham
22	Hiram Ainsley
23	Israel Bird
24	Charles Buzzard
25	Francis Hankerson
26	Charles Holsted
27	Frederick Kettle
28	Mathew Coons
29	Manley Irish



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Limus Lamb

We hereby certify that the above is a correct Statement of the votes given in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting holden on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April 1855

Horatio Wright ) Inspect  
Henry W Horton ) -ors of  
Chester S Wilkins ) Town  
 ) Meeting

Recorded this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 1855

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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I hereby Certify that I have this day appointed James Wilkins Deputy Town Clerk who has duly qualified for the same

Entered April 4<sup>th</sup> 1855

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held on Saturday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October A D 1855 for the purpose of auditing the accounts against said Township & agreeing on the amount of Money to be raised in Town for Town expences. The amount of Money agreed on was \$300.00. One Hundred & Eighty Six is to pay the Township Orders given for a Public Highway & One Hundred & fourteen dollars for Township purposes

The accounts audited are as follows to wit

No 1	Thomas J Ewell	\$ 3.50
" 2	Mathew Mc Cormick	7.50
" 3	Horatio Wright	12.50
" 4	Dennis Lamb	6.00
" 5	Chester S Wilkins	9.50
" 6	James Wilkins	2.00
Township Board		( Horatio Wright Supervisor
		( Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk
		( James Wilkins Justice of Peace

Recorded this 6<sup>th</sup> day of October 1855

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Board of Auditors 1856

At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held on Tuesday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April 1856 the following accounts were allowed

1	Thomas J Ewell	\$ 2.00
2	James Campbell	7.25
3	Horatio Wright	12.50
4	Henry W Horton	1.50
5	Lewis H Husted	1.00
6	Chester S Wilkins	7.00



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7	James Wilkins	2.25
8	Lyman Herrick	8.75
9	Jacob More	.50
10	Ezra H Parshall	6.00
11	Samuel M Hall	.50
12	Thomas Phipps Jr	7.50
13	Alexander Downey	10.50

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At a Meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 1856 the following accounts were allowed

No	1	Thomas J Ewell	6.00
"	2	Dennis Lamb	4.00
"	3	Lewis H Husted	4.00
"	4	Horatio Wright	15.50
"	5	Chester S Wilkins	12.00
"	6	Thomas Phipps Jr	4.00
"	7	James Wilkins	2.00
"	8	John Campbell	2.00
			<u>49.50</u>

Recorded this 11<sup>th</sup> day of October A D 1856

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Account with Treasurer 1855

Lyman Herrick Treasurer of the Township of Groveland Dr to said Town as follows November 20 th 1855

For Township purposes	\$114.00
For Damages on Highway	186.00
State & County purposes	478.93
Delinquent taxes on Personal Estate	13.47
Treasurers fees 55.90	
School District purposes	312.77
One Mill tax	236.35
Primary School Money for Current year	150.72
Library Money received from County	23.55
Mill Money received from Holly	7.18

The amount assessed for District purposes is as follows

Fractional District No 1 Groveland and Holly	2.70
Fract No 4 Groveland & Holly	11.88
Fract No 5 Groveland Holly Rose & Springfield	17.92
Fract No 6 Brandon & Groveland	1.55
Fract No 10 Groveland & Springfield	8.96
School Dist No 3	40.00
" " No 5	229.76



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Of the One Mill tax \$69.53 is assessed in fractional Districts the reports of which are by law required to be made to the clerks of other Townships and the tax to be paid to the Treasurers of the same to wit

To the Treasurer of Springfield	\$35.73
To the Treasurer of Holly	19.48
To the Treasurer of Brandon	14.32
The ballance of Mill tax is	166.82

Recorded this 21<sup>st</sup> day of November 1855

Chester S Wilkins  
Town Clerk

April 1<sup>st</sup> 1856 We the undersigned Township Board of the Township of Groveland Settled with Lyman Herrick Treasurer & found due Said Township the Sum of Sixty Eight dollars & Thirty six cents

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk  
Lewis H Husted Justice of  
the Peace

Statement of votes given in the Township of Groveland County of Oakland & State of Michigan at the annual Township meeting held at the Wilkins School House in Said Town on Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April A D 1856 For the following officers to wit, Supervisor, Town Clerk, Justice of the Peace, Treasurer, Commissioner of Highways, School Inspector, Four Constables & two Directors of Poor

Supervisor The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor was One Hundred & thirty four & they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety three of them for Horatio Wright & Forty One of them for Allan Campbell

Town Clerk The whole number of votes given for the office of Town Clerk was One Hundred & thirty six they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety of them for Chester S Wilkins & Forty Six of them for Elstin J Horton.

Justice The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of the Peace was One Hundred & thirty four & they were given for the following persons to wit, Eighty two of them for Horatio Wright & fifty two of them for Edgar C Bartlett

Treasurer The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Treasurer was One Hundred & thirty six & they were given for the following persons to wit, Seventy One of them for Lyman Herrick & Sixty four of them for William Campbell & One of them for George Campbell.

Commissioner The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioner of Highways was One Hundred & thirty nine & they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty One of them for William L Valleau & fifty Seven of them for John Campbell & One of them for James Campbell

School Inspector The whole number of votes given for the Said office of School Inspector was One Hundred & thirty four & they were given for the following persons to wit, Eighty three of them for Lewis H Husted & fifty One of them for Ira H Marsh

The whole number of votes given for the office of Con-



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Constables

-stables was Five Hundred & thirty five & they were given for the following persons to wit. Seventy three of them for Lyman Herrick Eighty five of them for Alexander Downey Jr Eighty two of them for Chester S Wilkins & Eighty of them for James Campbell. Fifty Six of them for Charles Henry & Fifty three of them for Dewitt C Narrin Fifty five of them for William Campbell & Fifty One of them For Francis Hankerson The whole number of votes given for the offic of Directors of Poor was Two Hundred & Seventy One & they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty of them for William P Husted, Eighty two of them for Samuel Wilkins fifty Six of them for Henry W Peck & fifty three of them for James Henry

Directors  
of  
Poor

Also at Said Town Meeting between the hours of twelve & One of said day there was Elected by viva voce vote the following persons for Overseers of Highways in the Several Road Districts Set opposite their respective names

act t	1	Benjamin Phelps	John Hadly	act	16
act t	2	Liberty B. Irish	Robert Golden	act	17
act t	3	James Henry	John Lacy	act	18
act t	4	Avery Worth	Thomas J Hwell	act	19
act t	5	Wm S Austin	Leander Clark	act	20
act t	6	Truman L Husted	Nelson Graham	act	21
act t	7	John Husted	Thomas S Bird	act	22
act t	8	Henry W Morton	Israel S Bird	act	23
act t	9	Solomon Hoby	James Mc Bradny	act	24
act t	10	Charles W Terry	John Buckell	act	25
act t	11	Peter Brozier	Charles Halsted	act	26
act t	12	Stephen Woodruff	Fredrick Kettle	act	27
act t	13	John Parkherst	Spencer Bigelow	act	28
act t	14	Samuel M Hall	Manly Irish	act	29
act t	15	John S Narrin	Horatio Wright	act	30
			Hiram Ainsley	act	31

Also the following viva voce votes was taken to wit For holding the next annual Township Meeting at the House of Thomas Snider which was lost

For holding the next annual Township Meeting at the Center which vote was carried.

Also that the Several Overseers of Highways be Found Master.

We the undersigned hereby Certify that the above is a correct Statement of the votes given in the Township of Groveland County of Oakland & State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April A D 1856

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk  
Lewis H Husted Justice of  
the Peace

Recorded this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April A D 1856 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

I hereby Certify that I have this day appointed James Wilkins  
Dept Town Clerk who has duly qualified for the Same Given under my  
hand this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April A D 1856

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a Meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland  
held on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March A D 1857 the following accounts were  
allowed

No 1	Mathew Mc Cormick	\$ 3.00
2	John Hamilton	.50
3	John Ritchie	.50
4	Solomon Tobey Deceased	.50
5	Thomas J Ewell	8.50
6	Chester S Wilkins	11.00
7	Lewis H Husted	4.00
8	William L Valleau	3.50
9	Horatio Wright	17.50
10	James Wilkins	6.00
11	Lyman Herrick	10.00
12	Thomas Phipps Jr	1.00
		66.00

Recorded this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1857

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland  
held on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of October 1857 the following accounts were  
allowed

1	Dennis Lamb	3.50
2	Horatio Wright	19.00
3	Chester S Wilkins	12.00
4	James Wilkins	10.50
5	A C Smith	1.00
6	T H Terwileger	1.00
7	Bela Cogshall	1.00
8	Peter C Sergent	1.00
9	Westel Mudge	1.00
10	Ira Green	1.00
11	John Lacy	1.00
12	J H Eerscherer	1.00
13	Linus Lamb	1.00
14	William Van Steenburgh	1.00
15	Isaac Halsted	1.00
16	Joseph Halsted	1.00
17	Daniel Merritt	1.50
18	Thomas J Ewell	2.50
19	L H Husted	5.50
20	Wm L --- ( blurred )	6.50
	Thom Phipps Jr	4.50

Also resolved that the Sum of One Hundred & Seventy dollars be  
raised for Township purposes

Also that the Sum of Sixty five dollars be raised for Damages on  
Highway



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Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Cle  
James Wilkins Justice of  
the Peace

Recorded this 12<sup>th</sup> day of Oct A D 1857 Chester S Wilkins Town Cle

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Account with Treasurer

Lyman Herrick Treasurer of the Township of Groveland Dr to Said Town  
-ship as follows November 20<sup>th</sup> 1856

Amount Brought forward from last year Settlement	\$ 68.36
Amount of Primary School Money	184.97
State & County	557.25
Township Purposes	140.00
Rejected tax for the year 1845	7.86
Rejected tax for the year 1855	1.64
School Purposes	233.70
Mill Tax	231.82
Road Taxes	1.65
Treasurer fees	48.91
Mill Money Received from Holly	6.82
Fine Money Received from County Treas.	6.98

The Mill Money is to be paid out as follows.

To be paid to the Treasurer of Holly	18.89
To be paid to the Treasurer of Brandon	14.81
To be paid to the Treasurer of Springfield	36.45
For Library purposes	25.00
and the remainder to be apportioned in the Township of Groveland to the whole Dis <sup>t</sup> according to the num- ber of children between the ages of 4 & 18	136.67

Entered by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

1857 March 31<sup>st</sup> We the undersigned Township Board of the Town-  
ship of Groveland Settled with Lyman Herrick Treasurer & found due  
Said Township the Sum of Ninety four Dollars & Ninety One cents  
which is now in Said Treasurers hands

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Cle  
Lewis H Husted Justice

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Statement of votes given in the Township of Groveland County  
of Oakland & State of Michigan Held at the house of James Wilkins in  
Said Town on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of April A D 1857 for the following offices  
viz. One Supervisor Town Clerk Treasurer Justice of the Peace, High-  
way Commissioner School Inspector, four Constables & two Directors  
of Poor. The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor  
was One Hundred & fifty two & they were given for the following  
persons to wit Eighty Seven of them for Horatio Wright and Sixty five



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of them for John Campbell

The whole number of votes given for the office of Town Clerk was One Hundred and fifty two and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty Seven of them for Chester S Wilkins and Sixty five of them for Allan Campbell

The whole number of votes given for the office of Treasurer was One Hundred & fifty three & they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty Seven of them for William Lacy & Sixty Six of them for Sidney Smith

The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of the Peace was One Hundred & fifty three and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty of them for Lewis H Husted & Seventy three of them for James G Quick

The whole number of votes given for the office of Highway Commissioner was One Hundred & fifty two and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty One of them for Dennis Lamb and Seventy One of them for Thomas S Bird

The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector was One Hundred & fifty One and they were given for the following persons to wit Seventy nine of them for Thomas J Ewell & Seventy two of them for Derius H Stone

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables was Six Hundred & thirteen and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty three of them for William Lacy Eighty two of them for Ransom E Burges Eighty three of them for Jonathan Terry Eighty five of them for Alexander Downey Jr Seventy One of them for Archibald Stevens Sixty Eight of them for Sidney Smith Sixty nine of them for George Campbell Seventy two of them for Dewitt C Narrin

The whole number of votes given for the office of Director of Poor was Two Hundred & Eighty four and they were given for the following persons to wit Eighty two of them for Samuel Wilkins Eighty two of them for William P. Husted Sixty of them for James Henry and Sixty of them for Henry W Peck

Also at Said Township Meeting between the hours of twelve & one of Said day there was Elected viva voce the following persons for Overseers of Highways in the Several Road Dist Set opposite their respective names

1	Benjamin Phelps	Robert Golden	17
2	Tolford Powell	George S Leland	18
3	John D Miller	H. Molby	19
4	Lafayette Mitchell	Harvey Mudge	20
5	Ransom E Burges	Henry Cogshall	21
6	Daniel Dodge	Thomas S Bird	22
7	John Husted	I.S. Bird	23
8	Henry W Horton	Charles Buzzard	24
9	Alexander Downey	George Fall	25
10	Alvin T Crosby	Charles Halsted	26
11	Joel Murwin	Amos Bogue Fred Kettle	27
12	Stephen Woodruff	Henry C Phipps	28
13	Peter F Leroy	Manly Irish	— 29
14	Jonathan Terry	Bela Cogshall	30
15	John Simons	Hiram Ainslie	31
16	John Hadly		

Also at Said Town Meeting it was voted that the next annual Town Meeting be held at the house of James Wilkins in Said Township  
Also at Said Town Meeting it was voted that at the next annual



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Township Meeting it Shall be voted by ballot by the qualified Electors of Said Township whether they Raise the sum of Three hundred dollars to Bild a Town house or not

We hereby certify that the above is a correct Statement of votes given in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland & State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting holden on the Sixth day of April 1857

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk  
Lewis H Husted Justice

Recorded this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1857 by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Dept I hereby certify that I have this day appointed James Wilkins Town Clerk who has duly qualified for the same  
Given under my hand this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1857

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Account with Treasurer

William Lacy Treasurer of the Town of Groveland Dr to Said Town as follows November the 15<sup>th</sup> 1857

For State & County purposes	\$ 624.93
For Township "	235.00
School "	356.75
Mill Tax "	236.18
Road Tax "	2.25
Treasurers fees \$ 60.64	
Primary School Money	171.19
Mill Money Received from Holly	7.66
Fine Money Received	13.72
	\$ 1647.68

Recorded this 20<sup>th</sup> day of November A.D. 1857

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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1858 March 30<sup>th</sup> We the undersigned Township Board of the Township of Groveland Settled with William Lacy Treasurer of Said Town and found due Said Township the Sum of Two Hundred & thirty dollars One Cent

Horatio Wright Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk



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At a Meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held on the 30th day of March A D 1858 the following accounts were allowed

No	1	Dennis Lamb	\$ 3.00	10	Linus Lamb	\$ 1.00
2		William L Valleau	3.50	12	Hiram Ainslie	1.00
3		Thomas Phipps Jr	2.00	13	Benjamin C Sc-tt	1.00
4		Horatio Wright	14.00	14	Peter C Sargent	1.00
5		William Lacey	11.00	15	Lyman Herrick	1.00
6		Henry W Horton	1.00	16	Jonathan Jones	1.00
7		<del>Chester Sr</del> Wilkins	10.00	17	J H Langdon	1.00
8		James Wilkins	1.00	18	Alexander Ter Bush	1.00
9		David A Wright	1.00	19	J H Reed	1.00
10		Thomas H Terwileger	1.00	20	Bela Cogshall	1.00
						\$ 57.50

Recorded this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March A D 1857 Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Statements of votes given in the Township of Groveland County of Oakland & State of Michigan held at the house of James Wilkins on the 5th day of April 1858 For the following offices viz One Supervisor, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of the Peace, School Inspector, Com<sup>s</sup> of Highways, Four Constables & two Directors of Poor

The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor was One hundred and Seventy three and they were given for the following persons to wit, One hundred and Eight of them for Horatio Wright & Sixty five of them for Henry W Horton

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Town Clerk was One Hundred & seventy one and they were given for the following persons to wit One hundred & eleven of them for Chester S Wilkins & Sixty of them for John W Perry

The whole number of votes given for the Said Office of Treasurer was One Hundred & Seventy two and they were given for the following persons to wit One Hundred & eleven of them for William Lacy & Sixty one of them for Isaac Case

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Justice of the Peace was One Hundred & Seventy Six & they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety Nine of them for James Wilkins & Seventy Seven of them for Allan Campbell

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of School Inspector was One hundred & Seventy three and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety five of them for Lewis H Husted & Seventy Eight of them for Dexter Norton

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Com<sup>s</sup> of Highways was One Hundred & Seventy Six and they were given for the following persons to wit One hundred of them for James Campbell & Seventy Six of them for Lafayett Mitchell

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Constables was Six Hundred & Eighty Eight and they were given for the following persons to wit One hundred & one of them for Ransom E Burgess & One hundred & three of them for William Lacy. One hundred & one of them for Alexander Downey Jr, ninety three of them for Peter C Sargent, Sevebty four of them for George Campbell Seventy four of them for William Campbell Sixty Six of them for Isaac Case Seventy Six of them for Dewitt C Narrin

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Directors of Poor was Three hundred & forty Seven and they were given for



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the following persons to wit Ninety Nine of them for Samuel Wilkins, One Hundred of them for William P Husted, Seventy four of them for John Hadly & Seventy four of them for Henry W Peck.

Also at Said Town Meeting between the hours of twelve & one of Said day there was Elected viva voce the following persons for Overseers of Highways in the Several Road Districts Set opposite their respective names

1	Benjamin Phelps	Barney Lennon	17
2	Liberty B Irish	George S Leland	18
3	Joseph Lepard	Sidney Smith	19
4	Avery Worth	Leander Clark	20
5	John Campbell	Henry Cogshall	21
6	James Algoe	Gehiel Powelson	22
7	John Husted Jr	Andrew Hill	23
8	Henry W Horton	Charles Buzzard	24
9	Alexander Downey	George Fall	25
10	Alvin T Crosby	Charles Halsted	26
11	John Bottenfellow	Fredrick Kettle	27
12	Stephen Woodruff	Henry C Phipps	28
13	Dewitt C Narrin	Manly Irish	29
14	G D Terry	Bela Cogshall	30
15	Wm P Husted	Edgar C Bartlet	31
16	John Hadly		

Also at Said Town Meeting between the hours of twelve & One of Said day there was voted viva voce to raise the Sum of Forty dollars to build a Town house was One Hundred & Sixty and the were given as follows to wit Forty Seven of them for the tax and One Hundred & thirteen against the tax

Record this 7 th day of April A D 1858

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Town Board of the Township of Groveland held at the house of James Wilkins on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October A D 1858 the following accounts were allowed

Also voted by Said Board to raise the Sum of two Hundred dollars for Town purposes & One Hundred & twenty three dollars & twenty five cents to be raised in Town in the year 1858 for Town purposes

1	Robbert Neal	\$22.00	14	James Campbell	\$ 11.50
2	John Campbell	5.25	15	Wm L Valleau	7.50
3	Allan Campbell	4.42	16	C.S.Wilkins	15.50
4	Grace Tobey	4.42	17	Horatio Wright	23.00
5	Alexander Downey	50.41	18	Ransom E Burges	1.00
5	John Ritchie	33.75	19	Dennis Lamb	6.00
6	Henry W Horton	50.00	20	Richard Lacy	1.00
1	Albert Crosby	1.00	21	Hiram Ainslie	1.00
2	Luther Herrick	1.00	22	Bela Cogshall	1.00
3	Samuel Wilkins	1.00	23	G.S.Leland	1.00
4	Chancy Crosby	1.00	24	John Lacy	1.00
5	Jacob More	1.00	25	Thomas S Bird	1.00
6	B.C.Scott	1.00	26	Lyman Herrick	1.00



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7	Isaac Webster	\$ 1.00	27	Sidney Smith	\$ 1.00
8	Mathew Morehouse	1.00	28	I.S.Bird	1.00
9	Martin Fairfield	1.00	29	Gehiel Powelson	1.00
10	Joseph Hadley	1.00	30	Nelson Graham	1.00
11	Peter Brosier	1.00	31	David A Wright	1.00
12	James Wilkins	12.00	32	Edgar C Bartlet	1.00
13	T J Ewell	6.50	33	Linus Lamb	1.00
34	John M <sup>c</sup> Donald	1.00	35	Peter C Sargent	1.00
36	Daniel Merritt	1.00	37	Pearl Eaton	1.00
38	Moses Farnum	1.00	39	W <sup>m</sup> Van Steenburgh	1.00
40	George T Leland	1.00	41	Moses Smith	1.00
42	Leander Clark	1.00	43	Henry W Horton	2.00
45	D.A.Wright	1.00	44	Allan Campbell	2.00

Recorded this 11<sup>th</sup> day of October A D 1858 by  
Chester W Wilkins Town Clerk

57	L H Husted	3.50	56	P C Sargent	2.00
46	Lyman Herrick	1.00	51	H C Phipps	1.00
47	Linus Lamb	1.00	52	John Lacy	1.00
48	Wm Van Steenburgh	1.00	53	W <sup>m</sup> Rich	1.00
49	G S Leland	1.00	54	F H Hankerson	1.00
50	Charles Henry	1.00	55	G M Fosdick	
59	E H Parshall	6.00			

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Account with Treasurer

William Lacy Treasurer of the Township of Groveland Dr to Said Town as follows for the year 1858

Amount Brought forward from last years Settlement	\$ 230.01
Amt of Primary School Money	173.00
Am of fine Money	
State & County Taxes	617.94
For Township Purposes	323.25
For School purposes	131.16
One Mill Tax	216.15
Road Tax	4.50
Websters Unabridged Dictionary	11.04
Treasurers fees \$ 52.16	
Mill Money Received from Holly	6.70

We the undersigned Township Board of Groveland have this day Settled with William Lacy Treasurer and found due Said Township the Sum of One Hundred & forty nine dollars and ninety cents this 29<sup>th</sup> day of March 1859

( first signature illegible)

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Town Board November 4 th 1859 at office of Town Clerk we Settled with William Lacy late Town Treasurer & find him Indebted to the Town the Sum of seven dollars and twenty



Eight cts.

Dated Groveland November 4<sup>th</sup> 1859

Jno Campbell Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

above amount of \$7.27 Paid to E C Bartlet Town Treasurer March 27<sup>th</sup>  
1860

At a Meeting of the Town Board of the Township of Groveland held on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of March the following accounts were allowed

1	James Campbell	\$ 1.50
2	Horatio Wright	35.00
3	Thomas J Ewell	3.50
4	Dennis Lamb	1.00
5	Daniel Merritt	50.00
6	William L Valleau	8.50
7	Chester S Wilkins	12.00
8	Henry W Horton	1.00
9	E.K. Parshall	2.00
10	William Lacy	10.50
11	James Wilkins	10.00

Recorded this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March 1859

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Statement of votes given in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland & State of Michigan held at the House of James Wilkins Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of April A D 1859 for the following persons to wit, One Supervisor Town Clerk Treasurer, Justice, Highway Commissioner, School Inspector, Four Constables and Two Directors of the Poor

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Supervisor was One Hundred & Eighty four and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety three of them for John Campbell and Ninety one of them for Horatio Wright

Town Clerk      The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Town Clerk was One Hundred & Eighty two and they were given for the following persons to wit, Ninety three of them for Chester S Wilkins & Eighty nine of them for Allan Campbell

Treasurer      The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Treasurer was one Hundred & Eighty two and they were given for the following persons viz Ninety two of them for Edgar C Bartlet and Ninety of them for William Lacy

Justice      The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Justice of the Peace was One Hundred & Eighty two and they were given for the following persons viz Ninety two of them for Henry W Horton & Ninety of them for William L Valleau



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Com  
Highway

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Highway Commissioner was One Hundred & Eighty Seven and they were given for the following persons to wit Ninety Seven of them for Isaac Halsted & Ninety of them for Ransom E Burgess

School  
Inspect  
-or

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of School Inspector was One Hundred & Seventy Six and they were given for the following persons viz Ninety nine of them for Dexter Norton and Seventy Seven of them for Albert Shepard

Consta-  
bles

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Constables was Seven Hundred & thirty three and they were given for the following persons viz Ninety four of them for George Campbell & Ninety five of them for Dewitt C Narrin Ninety Four of them for Edgar C Bartlet Ninety Four of them for Francis A Peck Eighty nine of them for Alexander Downy Jr Eighty Eight of them for William Lacy Ninety of them for Chester S Wilkins Eighty nine of them for Seneca M Fosdick

Direct-  
ors of  
Poor

The whole number of votes given for the Said office of Directors of Poor was Three Hundred & forty Six and they were given for the following persons viz Eighty nine of them for Henry W Peck Eighty Six of them for James Henry Eighty five of them for John Lacy Eighty Six of them for Bela Cogshall

Library

The whole number of votes given for and against the District & Township Library was One Hundred & five and they were given as follows viz Ninety nine of them for District Library & Six of them for Township Library

Also between the hours of twelve & one of Said day it was voted viva voce that the next annual Township Meeting be held at the center of Said Town

Also that there be none of the Mill Money used for Library purposes

Also that the Sum of Fifty dollars be raised in Said Town in the year 1859 for the purpose of building a Bridge accross the Kersly in Road Dist No 29

Also the following persons were Elected Overseers in the Several road Dist Set opposite their respective names

1	Benjamin Phelps	16	Ira H Marsh	ac
2	John Frick Jr	17	Barney Lennon	
3	Joseph Lepard	18	George S Leland	
4	Laben Jencks	19	Sidney Smith	
5	Ransom E Burgess	20	Isaac Case	
6	Daniel Johnson	21	Henry Cogshall	
7	John Husted	22	Thomas S Bird	
8	Henry W "orton	23	Andrew Hill	
9	Alexander Downy	24	Charles Buzzard	



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10	Charles Terry	25	Philip Buzzard
11	Benwell Brosier	26	Charles Halsted
12	Stephen Woodruff	27	George Thomas
13	Dewitt C Narrin	28	Henry C Phipps
14	Andrew More	29	Manly Irish
15	William P Husted	30	Horatio Wright
		31	Edgar C Bartlet

We hereby certify that the above is a correct Statement of the votes given in the Township of Groveland County of Oakland & State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting holden on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of April A D 1859

Chester S Wilkins ) Inspectors of  
Henry W Horton ) Town Meet'ng  
Thomas S Eird ) for Said Town

Recorded this 6<sup>th</sup> day of April A D 1859

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a Meeting of the Town Board of the Township of Groveland held at the house of James Wilkins on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October A D 1859 the following accounts were allowed. Also voted by Said Board to raise the Sum of One Hundred & ninety dollars for town purposes One Hundred & ten dollars Damages of Highways and Fifty dollars Repairs on Bridge making in all Three Hundred & fifty dollars to be raised in Town in the year 1859 for Town purposes

1	Daniel Johnson	\$10.00	16	William P Husted	1.00
2	Isaac Halsted	4.00	17	Carrh D Barron	1.00
3	Dennis Lamb	7.33	18	Jacob More	1.50
4	E.K.Parshall	2.00	19	Durfee D Horton	1.50
5	James Campbell	15.50	20	Peter Brozier	.50
6	John Campbell	22.50	21	Benner Brozier	.50
7	Lewis H Husted	7.00	22	Joseph Lepard	.50
8	George Campbell	2.00	23	James G Quick	.50
9	Samuel Wilkins	1.50	24	Thomas Phipps Jr	.50
10	Laben Jencks	1.00	25	Jesse Jones	.50
11	Derius Thayer	1.00	26	John Porritt	.50
12	James Wilkins	11.50	27	Joseph Marsh	50.00
13	George S Leland	1.00	28	Chester S Wilkins	16.00
14	Charles Henry	1.50	29	Bela Cogshall	2.00
15	Henry W Peck	1.00	30	Henry W Horton	2.00
			31	Thomas S Eird	2.00

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1 John Campbell 30.00

Recorded this 10<sup>th</sup> day of October 1859

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Account with Treasurer

Edgar C Bartlett Treasurer of the Township of Groveland Dr to Said Township as follows, November 15<sup>th</sup> 1859

Primary School Money	\$176.23½
Fine Money	15.16
State & County Tax	776.11
Township	350.00
School District	77.73
Two Mill tax	420.32
Road Districts N° 5 & 15	5.75
Treasurers fees	\$ 65.20
Money Received Treasurer	7.27
Tax roll overruns	1.57
Mill Money received from Holly	14.19

Recorded November 15<sup>th</sup> 1859 by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

March 27th 1860 We the undersigned Township Board of the Township of Groveland settled with Edgar C Bartlett Treasurer of Said Town and found due Said Township the sum of Seventy Six dollars & fifteen cents

Jno Campbell Supervisor

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Lewis H Husted Justice

Horatio Wright Justice of the Peace

At a Settlement with Edgar C Bartlett late Town Treasurer on Oct 6<sup>th</sup> 1860 we find him indebted in the sum of \$12.41 to said township

Jno Campbell Supervisor

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Edgar C Bartlett Paid to Alexander Downey Treasurer of Groveland the sum of twelve Dollars and forty one cents in Full of all Demands by said town, Groveland March 26<sup>th</sup> 1861, In presence of

Jno Campbell Supervisor and  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held at the house of James Wilkins on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 1860 the following accounts were allowed

1	Jacob More	Juror	\$2.00	15	Ransom E Burgess	\$ 1.00
2	Jonathan Terry	"	2.00	16	Dewitt C Narrin	1.00
3	William L Narrin	"	2.00	17	George J Thomas	
4	Samuel Wilkins	"	2.00		Damages	3.00
5	George D Terry	"	1.00	18	Fredrick Kettle	
6	Henry W Peck	"	1.00		Damages	10.00
7	Daniel Johnson	"	1.00	19	John Parkherst	
					Damages	50.00
8	John Lacy	"	1.00	20	James Campbell	
9	Durfee D Horton	"	1.00		Damages	11.00
10	James Wilkins	"	2.00	21	George Campbell	2.00



Groveland Township records ( cont )

11	Carrh D Barron	Juror	\$ 1.00	22	Thomas J Ewell	\$ 1.00
12	Avery Worth		1.00	23	Horatio Wright	2.50
13	Charles Henry		1.00	24	Lewis H Husted	5.50
14	Laben Jencks		1.00	25	Chester S Wilkins	8.50
				26	Edgar C Bartlett	5.00
				27	Dennis Lamb	.50
				28	E.K.Parshall	2.00
				29	Dexter Horton	1.00

Recorded this 28th day of March A D 1860

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Statement of votes given in the Township of Groveland County of Oakland & State of Michigan at the annual Township Meeting held in the Township of Groveland at the house of James Wilkins on the 2nd day of April A D 1860 for the following officers viz Supervisor Town Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of the Peace, Highway Commissioner One School Inspector full term, One School Inspector to fill vacancy four Constables

Supervisor The whole number of votes given for the office of Supervisor was two Hundred & Eighteen and they were given for the following persons viz One Hundred Seven of them for Horatio Wright One Hundred and Eleven of them for John Campbell

Town Clerk The whole number of votes given for the office of Town Clerk was Two Hundred Eighteen and they were given for the following persons viz One Hundred & one of them for Dewitt C Narrin and One Hundred & seventeen of them for Chester S Wilkins

Treasurer The whole number of votes given for the office of Treasurer was Two Hundred & Twenty and they were given for the following persons viz One Hundred and five of them for Edgar C Bartlett and One Hundred & fifteen of them for Alexander Downey Jr

The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of the Peace was Two Hundred & Seventeen & they were given for the following persons viz One Hundred & Six of them for Thomas S Bird & One Hundred & Eleven of them for Horatio Wright

The whole number of votes given for the office of Highway Commissioners was Two Hundred & Seventeen & they were given for the following persons viz One Hundred & Seven of them for Francis H Hankerson & One Hundred & ten of them for Dennis Lamb

The whole number of votes given for the office of School Inspector full Term was Two Hundred & Twenty and they were given for the following persons viz One Hundred & ten of them for Spencer Bigelow and One Hundred & ten of them for Thomas Phipps Jr



Groveland Township records ( cont )

School Inspector      The whole number of votes given for the Said office of School Inspector to fill Vacancy was Two Hundred & nineteen and they were given for the following persons viz One Hundred & Eleven of them for Isaac Green and One Hundred & Eight of them for Thomas J Ewell

Consta-  
bles      The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables was Eight Hundred & Seventy one and they were given for the following persons viz One Hundred & thirteen of them for Edgar C Bartlett One Hundred & Seven of them for George W Enders One Hundred & ten of them for Samuel Howard One Hundred & Eleven of them for William Campbell One Hundred & four of them for Seneca M Fosdick One Hundred & five of them for William Lacy One Hundred & Eleven of them for Alexander Downey Jr One Hundred & nine of them for Ransom D Burgess and one of them for Isaac Green

We the undersigned Township Board do hereby certify that the following Persons are Elected to their respective offices as follows John Campbell Supervisor Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk Alexander Downey Jr Treasurer Horatio Wright Justice of the Peace Highway Commissioner Dennis Lamb for School Inspector full Term being a tie Said Board determined by lot and Spencer Bigelow was Elected. for School Inspector to fill vacancy Isaac Green, Constables Edgar C Bartlett Samuel Howard, William Campbell and Alexander Downey Jr

Also between the hours of twelve & one of Said day it was voted viva voce that none of the Hill Money be used for Library purposes

Also that the Treasurer of Said Town have four per cent for collecting Taxes

Also the following persons were Elected Overseers in the Several Road Districts set opposite their respective names as follows

No of Dist

1	Benjamin Phelps ac	16	John Gany ac
2	Jacob Bickler ac	17	Barnard Lennon
3	James Henry ac	18	John Lacy ac
4	Taben Jenckes	19	Albert Swift
5	John Campbell ac	20	Leander Clark ac
6	Daniel F Johnson ac	21	Nelson Graham
7	John Husted	22	Thomas S Fird
8	Henry W Horton ac	23	Henry Austin
9	Alexander Downey act	24	Charles MC Ginnis ac
10	James Vout ac	25	Philip Buzzard
11	Fredrick Brant ac	26	Daniel Merritt
12	Stephen Woodruff	27	George Thomas
13	Ewitt C Harrin ac	28	Henry C Phipps
14	George D Terry ac	29	Manly Irish
15	William P Husted	30	Dennis Lamb
		31	Edgar C Bartlett act
		32	John Parkherst act



Groveland Township records ( cont )

John Campbell Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk  
Horatio Wright Justice of  
the Peace

Recorded this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 1860 by Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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At a meeting of the Town Board of the Township of Groveland held at the house of James Wilkins on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October A D 1860 the following accounts were allowed. Also voted by Said Board to raise the sum of Two Hundred & fourteen dollars for Town purposes & One hundred & Thirty six dollars Damages on Roads making in all the Sum of Three Hundred & fifty dollars to be raised in Town in the year 1860

No of Orders

1	Horatio Wright	\$ 1.50	28	Wm P Husted	\$ 1.00
2	Dennis Lamb	5.00	29	G.S.Leland	1.00
3	John Campbell	30.00	30	Seth L Herriman	1.00
4	James Campbell	16.50	31	Joel Herwin	1.00
5	E.H.Parshall	2.00	32	Peter Brozier	1.00
6	Am Campbell	3.00	33	Ben Brozier	1.00
7	Isaac Greene	3.50	34	Linus Lamb	1.00
8	James Wilkins	25.00	35	Jonus Bowman	1.00
9	Charles Henry	16.00	36	David Hadley	1.00
10	C.S.Wilkins	14.00	37	Daniel Merritt	1.00
11	Samuel Wilkins	1.00	38	Israel S Bird	1.00
12	Jaobb More	20.00	39	Charles Buzzard	1.00
13	Labin Jenckes	1.00	40	Ira H.Marsh	1.00
14	D.D.Horton	1.00	41	Charles Halsted	1.00
15	Jesse Jones	1.00	42	Thomas S Bird	1.00
16	Benjamin Phelps	1.00	43	Joseph Phipps	1.00
17	John Perritt	1.00	44	Alexander Downey Jr	1.00
18	Joseph Lepard	1.00	45	E.C.Bartlett	1.00
19	Abram Howell	1.00	46	Isaac Halsted	10.00
20	James Henry	1.00	47	L.H.Husted	3.00
21	Hiram Ball	1.00	48	Allan Campbell	2.00
22	Wm L Narrin	1.00	49	Leander Clark	16.74
23	G.W.Enders	1.00	50	Leander Clark	29.26
24	Jonathan Terry	1.00	51	Curtis Barnes	15.00
25	John S Narrin	1.00	52	Frederick Kettle	22.50
26	John W Perry	1.00	53	C.S.Wilkins	12.50
27	Henry W Peck	1.00	54	John Campbell	34.00
28			55	Peter Brozier	1.00
			56	Joseph Lepard	1.00
			57	Robert Neal	1.00

Recorded this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October A D. 1860

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Account with Treasurer Alexander Downey Jr Treasurer of the Township of Groveland, Dr to Said Town as follows Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1860

Primary School Money	\$ 178.94
Fine Money	38.90
State Tax	219.24
County	435.17
Township	350.00
Two Mill Tax	420.00
School Purposes	157.09
Road Districts No 5 & 13	4.00
Treasurers fees	63.52
Excess on Roll	2.12

Received from Holly  
Received of County & endorsed on Town Orders by  
J.Campbell & C.S.Wilkins  
Redd from E.W.Bartlett late Treas.

26.50  
12.41

Recorded this 18<sup>th</sup> day of November A D 1860

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

Settled with Alexander Downey Jr and find in his hands the sum of One Hundred and three Dollars and forty four cents, \$103.44 belonging to the following funds to wit:

Library fund	4.50
Town " Acc'td for in settlement	16.62
2 mill tax to fl School Dist No 10 - S & G	59.80
School purposes - S <sup>1</sup> Dist No 2-\$5.00, No 10-7.73	12.73
Highway Tax , No 5	1.00
---- rec'd from Bartlett late Treas	8.79
	<u>103.44</u>

Groveland March 30<sup>th</sup> 1861

Jno Campbell Supervisor  
Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

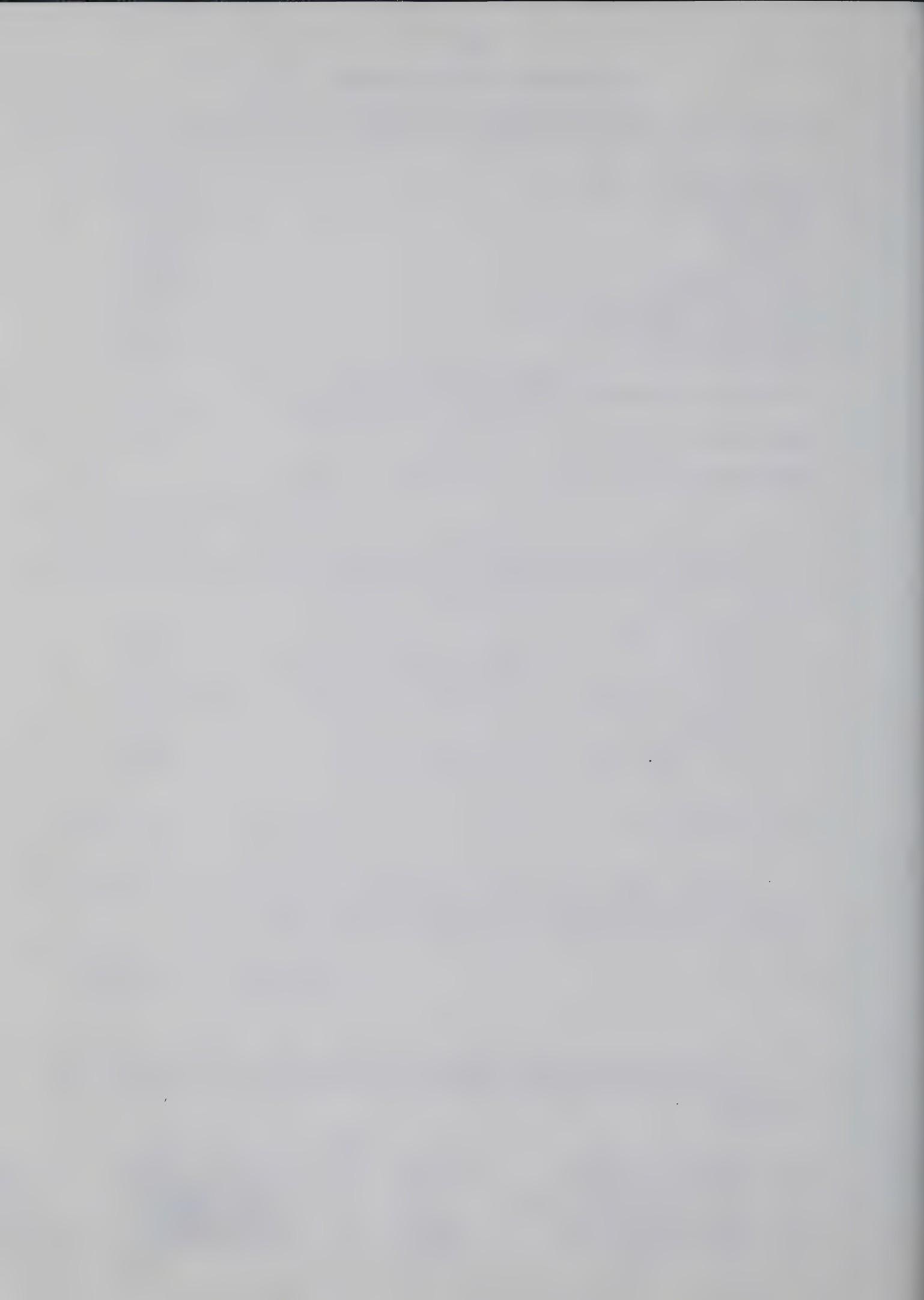
Settled with Alexander Downey Jr this fifth day of April A.D. 1862 and Ballanced the above acc't By transferring the ballance still due to the Account of the present year

Allen Campbell Township Clerk  
Jno Campbell Supervisor

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At a Meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland held on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of March 1861 the following accounts were allowed

No		No	
1	Dewitt C Narrin	16	Danvers W Farrar
2	W <sup>m</sup> D Richmond	17	George W Enders
3	Phebe Ann Richmond	18	Laben Jencks
4	George W Enders	19	Jesse Jones
5	W <sup>m</sup> L Narrin	20	Joseph Lepard



Groveland Township records ( cont )

6	James Henry	\$ 2.00	21	Jacob More	\$ 2.00
7	Durfee D Horton	2.00	22	Stephen Woodruff	75.00
8	Samuel Wilkins	2.00	23	Jacob Bicksler	25.00
9	Jonathan Terry	2.00	24	E.H.Parshall	4.00
10	T.J.Ewell	1.00	25	William Campbell	2.00
11	Hiram Molby	1.00	26	John Campbell	5.50
12	Ransom E Burgess	2.00	27	Isaac Greene	4.50
13	Sidney Smith	1.00	28	James Campbell	8.00
14	George D Terry	1.00	29	Dennis Lamb	3.50
15	Ebenezer Lawrence	1.00	30	Isaac Halsted	2.00
16	Danverse W.Farrar	1.00	31	Alexander Downey Jr	8.00
17	George A Enders	1.00	32	Chester S Wilkins	6.00
18	Laban Jencks	1.00			
19	Jesse Jones	1.00			
20	Joseph Lepard	1.00			

Recorded this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March A D 1861

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

( in pencil ) to much Expense for Roads  
Supervisor

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Returns of Township Meeting 1861

Statement of votes givenin the Township of Groveland County of Oakland, and State of Michigan, at the annual Township Meeting Holden at the house of James Wilkins on the First day of April A.D. 1861 for the following officers, Viz. Supervisor, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Justice of Peace, Commissioners of Highways, Two School Inspectors & Four Constables.

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Supervisor were Two Hundred and Nineteen and they were given for the following persons viz, One Hundred and Twenty One of them for John Campbell, and Ninety Eight of them for Horatio Wright

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Township Clerk was Two Hundred and Nineteen and they were given for the following persons, Viz. One Hundred and Thirteen of them For Allen Campbell and One Hundred and Six of them for Chester S Wilkins

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Treasurer was Two Hundred and Seventeen, and they were given for the following persons, Viz. One Hundred and Fifteen of them for Alexander Downey Jr and One Hundred and Two of them for Edgar C Bartlett

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Justice of the Peace was Two Hundred and Thirteen and they were given for the following persons, Viz. One Hundred and Eight of them for James Campbell and One Hundred and Five of them for James Henry

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Commissioners of Highways was Two hundred and fifteen, and they were given for the following persons, namely, One hundred and Twenty of them for Dewitt C Narrin and ninety five of them for Thomas Phipps Jr

The whole number of votes given for the said office of School Inspector for full Term was one Hundred and Seventeen and they were given for the following persons, viz. One Hundred and sixteen of them for Oliver C Miller and One hundred and One of them for Lewis H. Husted



Groveland Township records ( cont )

The whole number of votes given for said office of School Inspector to fill vacancy was One Hundred and Eighteen, and they were given for the following persons, Viz. One Hundred and Sixteen of them for Isaac Greene and One Hundred and Two of them for William S Austin

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Constables was Seven Hundred and seventy one and they were given for the following persons, viz. One Hundred and Sixteen of them for Dewitt C Narrin One Hundred and Eighteen of them for William Campbell, One Hundred and Twelve of them for Edgar C Bartlett, One Hundred Thirteen of them for Benjamin F Miller, One Hundred Six of them for Seneca M Fosdick, One Hundred One of them for Ransom E Burgess, One Hundred Six of them for Alexander Downey Jr., Ninety nine of them for Seth Arnold

We the undersigned Township board do hereby certify the following persons were duly elected to the several Township offices, Viz. John Campbell for Supervisor, Allen Campbell Township Clerk, Alexander Downey Jr. Treasurer, James Campbell Justice of peace, Dewitt C Narrin Commissioner of Highways, Oliver C Miller School Inspector for full term, Isaac Greene School Inspector to fill vacancy, Dewitt C. Narrin, William Campbell, Edgar C. Bartlett and Benjamin F Miller for Constables.

Between the hours of twelve and one o' clock it was voted viva voce that the Treasurer should have four per cent for collecting taxes also, The following persons were Elected as overseers in the several road districts the numbers of which are set opposite their respective names as follows

No of Dist.

1	Benjamin Phelps	17	James Van Syckle
2	John Perritt	18	William Lacy
3	Abram Titsworth	19	Thomas J Ewell Acpt
4	Darius Thayer	20	Leander Clark
5	James Campbell Acpt	21	Otis Don(?)ier
6	James Algoe	22	William H Clark Acpt
7	John Husted	23	Israel S Bird Acpt
8	Henry W Horton	24	Charles M Ginnis Acpt
9	William Campbell	25	Philip Buzzard Acpt
10	Durfee D Norton Accpt	26	Daniel Merrit
11	Christian Brannek Accpt	27	John Frick Jr
12	Jesse Jones	28	Henry C Phipps
13	George W Enders	29	Manly Irish
14	George D Terry	30	A.C. Reiffeld
15	John S Narrin	31	Edgar C Bartlett
16	David Hadley	32	Benjamin Richmond

Recorded this 3<sup>d</sup> day of April A.D. 1861

Allen Campbell Town Clerk

At a meeting of the Supervisor and Township Clerk of the Township of Groveland held at the House of the Supervisor, they did return the following named persons to the County Clerk as Grand & Petit Jurors, viz.

Grand Jurors

Horatio Wright  
Dewitt C Narrin

Petit Jurors

James Henry  
Chester S Wilkins



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Henry W Horton  
Samuel Wilkins  
Joseph Halsted  
John Campbell

Allen Campbell  
Isaac Halsted  
Thomas S Bird

Given under our hands at Groveland this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May A.D. 1861

John Campbell Sup  
Allen Campbell

Recorded this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 1861 by

Allen Campbell Town Clerk

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At a Meeting of the Township board of the Township of Groveland held at the house of James Wilkins in said town on Saturday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1861 the following Accounts were Audited and given as follows Viz -

No 33	Allen Campbell	\$ 1.13	No 38	Dennis Lamb	\$ 7.00
" 34	Oliver C Miller	1.00	" 39	Dewitt C Narrin	6.00
" 35	John Campbell	26.50	" 40	James Wilkins	10.50
" 36	Allen Campbell				
	Chester W Wilkins	2.50	" 41	H W Horton	.50
" 37	Isaac Halsted	9.50			

Recorded this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1861 by

Allen Campbell Township  
Clerk  
Groveland

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At a meeting of the Township board held at the house of Allen Campbell on the fourteenth day of December A.D. 1861 the following accts were audited and allowed, Viz.: to

" 42	Lewis H Husted	2.00	" 45	John Campbell	30.00
" 43	Ezra K Parshall	2.00	" 46	Allen Campbell	4.25
" 44	Isaac Greene	2.00			

Recorded this 15<sup>th</sup> day of January A.D. 1862 by

Allen Campbell Township  
Clerk

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Account with the Treasurer A.D. 1861

Alexander Downey Jr Treasurer of the Township of Groveland Dr to said Township for the following Sums namely -

November 15 <sup>th</sup> to Fallance due March 30 <sup>th</sup> 1861	103.44
" Primary School Money	166.32
" Fire Money	19.80



Groveland Township records ( cont )

November 15 <sup>th</sup>	to State Tax	150.42
" County "		524.35
" Township "		428.50
" Excess on roll		2.56
" Two Mill Tax		416.30
" School District purposes		51.81
" Road District No 5		1.00
" " " " 13		1.50
" Treasurers Fees		83.05
		<u>2449.05</u>

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On Settlement with the Township Treasurer Alexander Downey Jr at the Township Clerks office on the fifth day of April A.D. 1862, we find in his hands the sum of One Hundred nineteen dollars and Ten cents ( \$119.10 ) belonging to the following funds To wit

Cash in the Treasury unappropriated	23.01
Fine Money School dist No 3	2.70
" " " " 8	1.35
Mill Tax " " " 10	60.67
" " " " 4	6.48
School purposes " " 10 1861	13.16
" " " " 1860	7.73
Highway Tax Road dist No 5 for 3 yrs	3.00
	<u>118.10</u>
Primary School money dist N° 10	1.00

Groveland April Fifth A.D. 1862

Jno Campbell, Supervisor  
Allen Campbell Township Clerk

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Settlement with Treasurer April 1<sup>st</sup> 1862  
Alexander Downey Jnr Treasurer of the Township of Groveland, Dr

To Ballance due March 30 <sup>th</sup> / 61	103.44
" Primary School Money	166.32
" State Tax	650.42
" Fine Money	15.75
" County "	524.35
" Township	404.49
" Excess on roll Ballanced in Township charhes	" "
" Two Mill Tax	349.15
School purposes	38.65
" Road dist No 5, for 61, Road dist No 13	1.50
" Treasurers fees	83.05
" Non Resident personal property Tax	1.20
" Rectified Mistake in Settlement with Treasurer 1860	1.40
" Fractional dist No 10	1.00
	<u>2340.72</u>
Ballance due Township on the above	<u>108.33</u>
	<u>2449.05</u>

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- Groveland Township records ( cont )

Alexander Downey Jr in acc<sup>t</sup> with the Township pf Groveland

By Cash paid to Dist No 10 Mill Tax	60.67
School purposes " 1861	13.16
" " 1862	7.73
Mill Tax Dist N <sup>o</sup> 4	6.48
Township purposes	8.00
	\$ 96.04
March 31 <sup>st</sup> Ballance paid Daniel Merritt	23.06
	\$119.10

Groveland March 31<sup>st</sup> 1863

This is to certify that we have this day settled with Alexander Downey Jr and find that he has paid over all moneys in his hands belonging to the Town of Groveland

Chester S Wilkins Supervisor  
Henry W Horton Justice of  
Peace  
Allen Campbell Clerk

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Meeting of the Township Board

At a meeting of the Township board held at the house of James Wilkins Esqr on the first day of April A.D. 1862, present John Campbell, Supervisor, James Wilkins and Henry W Horton, Justices of the Peace and Allen Campbell Clerk they did then and their Audit and allow the following accouhts, Viz

No 1	Bela Coggeshall	\$ 5.00
2	Dewit C Narrin	6.50
3	Isaac Halsted	4.00
4	Dennis Lamb	5.50
5	Oliver C Miller	3.50
6	John Campbell	6.00
7	James Wilkins	1.00
8	Henry W Horton	1.00
9	Allen Campbell	1.50
10	Alexander Downey Jr	9.00
11	Ezra K Parshall	3.00
	Total	\$ 46.00

Recorded this Fifth day of April A.D. 1862 by

Allen Campbell Township Clerk

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Report of Township Meeting, 1862

Statement of votes given at the Township Meeting in the Township of Groveland in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan, holden at the house of James Wilkins Esqr on the 7th day of April A.D. 1862, for the following officers, viz: Supervisor, Township Clerk, Treasurer, Justices of the Peace, School Inspector, Commiss-



Groveland Township records ( cont )

ioner of Highways and Four Constables

The whole number of Votes given for the said office of Supervisor was Two Hundred and Forty One, and they were given for the following persons, Viz., One Hundred and Twenty One of them for Chester S Wilkins, One Hundred and Twenty of them for John Campbell

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Township Clerk was Two Hundred and Thirty Three and they were given for the following persons namely One Hundred and Nine of them for William L Valleau and One Hundred and Twenty four of them for Allen Campbell.

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Township Treasurer was Two Hundred and Forty One, and they were given for the following persons Viz: One Hundred Thirteen of them for Dennis Lamb One Hundred Twenty Eight of them for Daniel Merrit

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Justice of the Peace was Two Hundred and Thirty Eight and they were given for the following persons Viz: One Hundred and Thirteen of them for James Wilkins, One Hundred Twenty five of them for William L Narrin

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Commissioner of Highways was Two Hundred and Forty and they were given for the following persons Viz: One Hundred and Fifteen for Thomas Phipps Jr , One Hundred Twenty Five of them for Durfee D Horton

The whole number of votes given for the said office of School Inspector was Two Hundred and Thirty Six and they were given for the following persons Viz: One Hundred and Fourteen of them for Thomas J Ewell, One Hundred and Twenty Two of them for Edgar C Bartlett

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Constables was Nine Hundred and Thirty and they were given for the following persons Viz: One Hundred Twelve of them for Seneca M Fosdick, One Hundred and Fifteen of them for William Lacey, One Hundred Nine of them for Ransom E Burgess, One Hundred Fifteen of them for Jonathan Terry, One Hundred Twenty Four of them for William Campbell, One Hundred fifteen of them for Dewitt C Narrin, One Hundred and Twenty of them for Daniel Merrit, One Hundred and Twenty of them for Edgar C Bartlett

We the undersigned members of the Township board do hereby certify that the following persons were duly Elected to the several Township offices, Viz: For Supervisor, Chester S Wilkins, Township Clerk, Allen Campbell, For Township Treasurer, Daniel Merritt, For Justice of the Peace, William L Narrin, For School Inspector, Edgar C Bartlett, For Commissioner of Highways, Durfee D Horton, For Constables William Campbell, Daniel Merrit, Edgar C Bartlett and Jonathan Terry

Between the hours of Twelve and One o'clock By Vote taken Viva Voce, the Treasurer is to receive Three per cent for Collecting Taxes also voted to raise Fifteen dollars on the taxable property of Township to apply on the Road in dist No Twenty Nine

The following persons were Elected as overseers of Highways in the several districts, the numbers of which are set opposite their respective names, Viz:

1	Benjamin Phelps	17	Barney Lennon
2	John Perrit acpt	18	John Lacey
3	Jeremiah Miller	19	Albert Swift
4	Laban Jenks	20	Oscar Mudge
5	Allen Campbell Jr	21	Otis Dono(?)ier
6	Daniel F Johnson	22	Thomas S Bird



Groveland Township records ( cont )

7	John Husted	23	Carlton Cornell
8	Henry W Horton	24	Charles Buzzard
9	William Campbell	25	Philip Buzzard
10	Charles W Terry	26	Daniel Merrit
11	William Wolf	27	Frederick Kettle
12	Stepen Woodruff	28	Henry C Phipps
13	Dewitt C Harrin	29	Manly Irish
14	Jonathan Terry	30	Bela Coggeshall
15	John S Narrin	31	Andrew Marquit
16	David Hadley	32	John Parkhurst

We do hereby certify the above to be a correct Statement of the votes given, and the persons Elected at the Annual Township meeting of the Township of Groveland held on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April 1862

John Campbell Supervisor  
James Wilkins Justice of the  
Peace  
Allen Campbell Township Clerk

Recorded this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1862 by

Allen Campbell Township Clerk  
Groveland

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1862 Account With Treasurer

Township of Groveland, Oakland County Michigan in a/c with  
Daniel Merrit Treasurer, Dr

May 29 <sup>th</sup>	To Primary School Moneys	\$ 196.50
"	Library Money	13.75
Nov <sup>r</sup> 15	" State Tax	188.15
"	County "	764.21
"	Township Tax fot Town purposes	270.00
"	Two Mill Tax	416.40
"	School Purposes	46.06
"	Road District No 5	1.00
"	Excess on Roll	1.20
"	Treasurers fees	15.61
	Total	\$ 2462.88
1862	" Mill Money from Holly for Dist N <sup>o</sup> 4	<u>15.80</u>
		2478.68

1863		
March 31 <sup>st</sup>	" Unappropriated Money Rec <sup>d</sup> from A. Downey, Jr	
	Treasurer	15.00
	Fine Money Dist <sup>t</sup> N <sup>o</sup> 3	2.70
	" " " " 8	1.35
	Highway Tax " " 5 for 3 years	3.00
	Primary School Money Dist <sup>t</sup> N <sup>o</sup> 10	1.00
	Total	2501.73

Tax for School purposes to be paid as follows,  
Viz:  
To Frac<sup>t</sup> Dist<sup>t</sup> N<sup>o</sup> Six Groveland & Brandon 7.00



Groveland Township records ( cont )

To Frac <sup>t</sup>	School Dis <sup>t</sup>	N <sup>o</sup>	8 Brandon, Hadle Atlas & Groveland.	.95
"	" "	N <sup>o</sup>	Ten Groveland & Springfield	7.97
"	" —	N <sup>o</sup>	five Groveland Holly Rose &	
"	" "	N <sup>o</sup>	Springfield	7.71
"	" "	N <sup>o</sup>	One Groveland Brandon &	
"	" "		Independence	1.00
"	" "	N <sup>o</sup>	four Groveland & Holly	3.87
"	" "	N <sup>o</sup>	Three Groveland	4.00
"	" "	N <sup>o</sup>	Five Groveland	7.50
"	" "	N <sup>o</sup>	Six "	3.00
"	" "	N <sup>o</sup>	Eight	3.00
			Total	46 .00

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1863 Account With Treasurer Township of Groveland, Oakland County Michigan in a/c with Daniel Merritt Treasurer

March 31 <sup>st</sup>	Primary School Moneys	196.50
	Library Honey	13.75
	State Tax	188.15
	County Tax	764.21
	Township purposes	236.50
	Two Mill Tax	416.40
	School Purposes	46.66
	Treasurers fees	65.61
	Hill Honey from Holly to Dis <sup>t</sup> N <sup>o</sup> 4	15.80
	Township Purposes	32.21
	Total Credit	2465.19
	" Debtor	2501.73
	Due	36.54

Groveland March 31<sup>st</sup> 1863

Upon settlement with Daniel Merritt Treasurer of the Township we find Thirty Six dollars fifty Five cents belonging to the several funds as follows -

Township order N <sup>o</sup> 7	11.60
Road Dist N <sup>o</sup> 5	4.66
Library Honey dist N <sup>o</sup> 3	2.70
" " N <sup>o</sup> 8	1.35
Unappropriated Money	16.50
Whole Am <sup>t</sup> due	35.55

Chester S Wilkins Supervisor  
Henry W Horton Justice of  
Peace  
Allen Campbell Clerk

Moneys paid By Daniel Merritt late Treasurer to Dennis Lamb to ballance Account 35.55

Groveland March 29<sup>th</sup> 1864

C.S.Wilkins Supervisor  
Horatio Wright Justice Peace  
A.Campbell Township Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Statement of votes given at the Annual Township Meeting held in the Township of Groveland, County of Oakland, and State of Michigan, on the Sixth day of April A.D. 1863 for the following officers, Viz: One Supervisor, One Township Clerk, One Township Treasurer, One Justice of the Peace, One Commissioner of Highways, One School Inspector, and Four Constables.

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Supervisor was Two Hundred and Sixteen, and they were given for the following persons, Viz: One Hundred and Seventeen of them for Chester S Wilkins, Ninety Nine of them for John Campbell

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Township Clerk was Two Hundred and Fifteen, and they were given for the following persons, Viz: One Hundred Sixteen of them for Allen Campbell, Ninety Nine for William L Narrin

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Treasurer was Two Hundred and Sixteen, and they were given for the following persons, Viz: One Hundred and Twelve for Dennis Lamb, One Hundred for Daniel Merritt.

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Justice of the Peace was Two Hundred and Fifteen, and they were given for the following persons, Viz: One Hundred and Twelve for Benjie-Eamb  
Eighteen for Alexander Downey, Ninety Seven of them for Henry W Fort-  
on. The

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Commissioner of Highways was Two Hundred and Fifteen and they were given for the following persons, Viz: One Hundred and Nineteen of them for William Lacey, Ninety Six of them for John W. Perry.

The whole number of votes given for the said office of School Inspector was Two Hundred and Thirteen, and they were given for the following persons, viz: One Hundred and Seventeen of them for Albert Shepard and Ninety Six of them for Ira H Marsh

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Constable was Eight Hundred and Sixty Three and they were given for the following persons, Viz: One Hundred and Twenty Five for Linus Lamb, One Hundred Twenty Two of them for William Lacey, One Hundred and Twenty of them for Alexander Downey Jr., One hundred and Twelve of them for Samuel Howard, Ninety One of them for Frederic Kettle, Ninety Eight of them for Daniel Merritt, Ninety Five of them for William Campbell, Ninety Two of them for Edgar C Bartlett

We the undersigned Inspectors of Election do hereby declare  
that the following persons were duly Elected to the several Township  
offices at the Annual Township Meeting holden in the Township of  
Groveland, County of Oakland, and State of Michigan on the Sixth day of  
April A.D. 1863, Viz:

For Supervisor	Chester S Wilkins
" Township Clerk	Allen Campbell
" Treasurer	Dennis Lamb
" Justice of Peace	Alexander Downey
" Commissioner of Highways	William Lacey
" School Inspector	Albert Shepard
" Constable	Linus Lamb
" "	William Lacey
" "	Alexander Downey Jr
" "	Samuel Howard
	Chester S Wilkins ) Inspectors of
	Henry W Horton ) Election for



Groveland Township records ( cont )

At the Annual Township Meeting of the Township of Groveland held on the Sixth day of April A.D. 1863 the following resolutions were taken, Viz that their shall be Thirty Dollars raised upon the Taxable property of the Township for the purpose of repairing a certain Crossway in Road Dist<sup>t</sup> N<sup>o</sup> 29

Also resolved to raise Twenty Five dollars each to be applied upon Road Districts N<sup>o</sup> 19 & 20

Also Resolved that the Township Treasurer shall receive Four per Cent for Collecting the Taxes for the Current year

The following named persons were Elected as Overseers of Highways in the Several Road Districts, Viz:

N <sup>o</sup> 1	Calvin Mills	N <sup>o</sup> 17	Lafayette Stranahan
2	John E Auten	18	William Lacey
3	John Uodergraff	19	Albert Swift
4	Laffayette Mitchell	20	Oscar Mudge
5	Lewis H Husted	21	Otis Donp(?)ier
6	John Peck	22	Thomas S Bird
7	John Husted	23	Israel S Bird
8	Henry W Horton	24	Sylvanus Buzzard
9	William Campbell	25	John Buckell
10	James Vout	26	Daniel Merritt
11	Samuel Howard	27	George Thomas
12	Stephen Woodruff	28	Henry C Phipps
13	William L Harrin	29	Manly Irish
14	Charles Henry	30	Peter C Sargent
15	Austin B Hathaway	31	Andrew B Marquit
16	Jonas Bowman	32	John Parkhurst

We do hereby declare the above persons duly Elected as Overseers of Highways for the several Highway districts in the Township of Groveland this Sixth day of April A.D. 1863

Chester S Wilkins ) Inspectors of  
Henry W Horton ) Election for  
Allen Campbell ) Said Township

Recorded this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1863 by

Allen Campbell Township Clerk

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At a meeting of the Township Board of this Township held at the house of James Wilkins in this Town according to Public notice given thereon they did then and there audit and allow the following accounts and issued orders accordingly as follows, Viz

34	Edgar C Bartlett	7.50
35	Chester S Wilkins	25.00
36	Allen Campbell	11.00
37	James Wilkins	10.00
38	Horatio Wright	.50
	Total	54.00



Groveland Township records ( cont )

The above orders dated October 16<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1863 - It was also Resolved at said meeting to raise the sum of One Hundred and Thirty Dollars to defray the Township expenses, said sum to be levied upon the Taxable property of the Township. Likewise Resolved to raise the sum of Ninety Five Dollars for Highway purposes, the same being in accordance with a vote Taken at the last Annual Township Meeting

Recorded this 12<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1863

By Allen Campbell  
Township Clerk  
Groveland

The following Accounts were audited and allowed, Viz:

Order N° 39	Durfee D Horton	\$ 7.00
40	Albert Shepard	1.00
41	John Padison	36.00
42	S Sheldon	9.00
43	Patrick Killen	25.00
44	Chester S Wilkins	32.00
45	Durfee D Horton	2.00
46	William Lacey	6.75
47	Albert Shepard	4.50
48	Allen Campbell	3.00

March 29th 1864

At the Annual Meeting of the Township board of the Township of Groveland they did then and their Audit and settle all accounts presented against the Township and issued orders for the payment of the same, as follows, Viz

N°	Order
49	To Sloan Cooley
50	" Chester S Wilkins
51	" Allen Campbell
52	" William Lacey
53	" Dennis Lamb
54	" Horatio Wright

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Account with Treasurer 1863

Township of Groveland, County of Oakland, State of Michigan in A/c with Dennis Lamb Treasurer Dr.

June	To Primary School Moneys	\$184.00
Nov <sup>r</sup> 23	" State Tax	625.14
"	County Tax	1459.32
"	Taxes reassessed for A.D. 1862	5.29
	Tax for Township purposes	130.00
	Highway Tax, District N° 29	45.00
"	" " " 19	25.00
"	" " " 20	25.00
"	" " " 12	4.00
"	" " " 14	2.00
	School District purposes	78.54
	Two Mill Tax	412.40



Groveland Township records ( cont )

March 29	Treasurers fees	112.47
	To Money from Daniel Merritt late Treasurer	35.55
	Amount of Two per cent Rec'd from County Treasurer	2.45
	Total Dr.	3147.11

of the Township board of the Township  
We the undersigned members of Groveland, find upon Settlement with the Township Treasurer Dennis Lamb that he has in his hands the Sum of Forty Three Dollars and Eighty Five cents belonging to the several funds as follows, Viz:

To Road district N° 19	25.00
" Mill Money To Fract School Dist No One Groveland and Holly	5.00
Township order N° 7 asined To James Wilkins October 11 <sup>th</sup> /62	11.00
Road Dist N° 4	2.00
Cash to Ballance Account	.85
	43.85

Township of Groveland, Oakland County, State of Michigan in A/c with Dennis Lamb, Treasurer

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March 29 By Primary School Moneys	184.00
" State Tax	625.14
" County Tax	1459.32
Taxes reassessed for A.D. 1862	5.29
Tax for Township purposes	121.25
Highway Tax District N° 29	45.00
" " " " 20	25.00
School District purposes	78.54
Two Mill Tax	407.40
Treasurers fees t	112.47
Library Money Dist N° 3	2.70
" " " " 8	1.35
Township orders N° 50,51,52,53,54	21.50
Cash for War Bond	2.75
" " Stamos for War Bond	.80
Township orders 26,27,28,29,31, Amt	6.50
Tax on personal property not collected	4.25
Total Cr	3103.26
Cash in Treasurers hand to Ballance Account	43.85
	3147.11

Paid 1865

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A.D. 1863 Dennis Lamb Treasurer of the Township of Groveland Dr

Nov 25 <sup>th</sup>	To Two Mill Tax	412.40
	To be paid to the several Districts as follows, Viz:	
	Dist N° 1 Grovnd and Holly	5.00
	Dist N° 5 Grovnd Holly Rose & Springfield	23.50
	Dist N° 1 Grovnd Brandon & Independence	6.50
	" N° 6 Grovnd & Brandon	18.14
	" N° 8 Grovnd, Brandon, Hadley & Atlas	3.54



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Dist N°	10	Grov <sup>nd</sup> & Springfield	59.82
" N°	1	Groveland	24.58
" "	2	"	41.70
" "	3	"	33.84
" "	4	" & Holly	50.70
" "	5	Groveland	45.02
" "	6	"	28.46
" "	7	"	46.80
" "	8	"	24.80
			412.40

Dennis Lamb Treasurer Dr

To Moneys raised for School District purposes To be paid to the severald Districts as follows,Viz:

School Dist N°	6	Gvd & Brandon	7.44
" N°	8	Gvd Brnd Atlas & Hadley	2.93
" "	5,	Gvd Holly Rose & Springfield	5.21
" "	10	Gvd & Springfield	16.21
" "	5	Groveland	25.00
" "	6	"	6.75
" "	7	"	10.00
" "	8	"	5.00
			78.54

Dennis Lamb Treasurer of the Township of Groveland Cr

By Two Mill Tax paid to District N°	4	Grov <sup>d</sup> & Holly	\$. <sup>00</sup>
Do 5 Grovd Holly Rose & Springfield			23.50
" 1 Grovd Brandon & Independence			6.50
" 6 Grovd & Brandon			18.14
" 8 Grovd Hadley Brandon & Atlas			3.54
" 10 Grovd & Springfield			59.82
" 1 Groveland			24.58
" 2 "			41.70
" 3 "			33.84
" 4 & Holly			50.70
" 5 Groveland			45.02
" 6 "			28.46
" 7 "			46.80
" 8 "			24.80
			407.40

Dennis Lamb Treasurer of the Township of Groveland Cr

By Moneys raised for School District purposes and paid out as follows

School District N°	6	Grvd & Brandon	7.44
Do N°	8 Grvd Brandon Atlas & Hadley		2.93
Do 5 Grvd Holly Rose & Springfield			5.21
" 10 Grvd & Springfield			16.21
" 5 Groveland			25.00
" 6 "			6.75
" 7 "			10.00
" 8 "			5.00
			78.54



Groveland Township records (cont.)

Statement of votes given at a special Township Meeting held in the Township of Groveland on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February A.D. 1864 pursuant to public notice given therefore for the purpose of voting to raise Money upon the Taxable property of said Township to pay certain Inhabitants of said Township money advanced by them for the purpose of paying bountys to volunteers to fill the quota of said Township on the call made by the President next preceeding the 20<sup>th</sup> day of January A.D. 1864 for men for the military service of the United States and also to issue bonds sufficient to pay the Sum of One Hundred Dollars to each volunteer or drafted man accepted and credited on the quota of said Township to fill the call made by the President on the first day of February A.D. 1864 which vote resulted as follows

The whole number of voted given at said meeting was One Hundred and fifty Two and were given as follows

For a Tax to raise the full amount of the bounty for both calls One Hundred and Twenty One

For a tax to raise a bounty for the last call, Seven

For a tax, Twenty Four

We the undersigned Inspectors of Election do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct Statement of the votes given at said special Township Meeting held in said Township pursuant to notice on the 22<sup>nd</sup> February A.D. 1864

Chester S Wilkins Supervisor  
Horatio Wright Justice of  
Peace  
Allen Campbell Town Clerk

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At the annual meeting of the Township board of the Township of Groveland held at the house of Nelson Wilkins in said Township on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of March A.D. 1864 for the purpose of Auditing and settling Accounts against the Township, the following accounts were presented, audited and allowed, and orders issued for the payment thereof, as follows, Viz: Order numbered

49	To Sloan Cooley	for the sum of	5.00
50	" Chester S Wilkins	"	5.00
51	" Allen Campbell	"	6.50
52	" William Lacev	"	4.00
53	" Dennis Lamb	"	6.00
54	" Horatio Wright	"	2.00
			<u>26.50</u>

At the same time and place settled with Daniel Merritt late Treasurer of this Township and gave him credit for the sum of Thirty Five dollars and Fifty Five cents, being in full for his indebtedness to the Township

Also settled with Dennis Lamb Treasurer of this Township and find in his hands at this date the sum of Forty Three Dollars, Eighty five cents, which he is to pay as follows, Viz

Mill Money to Fract School District N° 1 Groveland &	Holly	5.00
Township order N° 7 issued to James Wilkins		11.00

October 11<sup>th</sup> 1862



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Road Dist <sup>t</sup> No 14	2.00
Cash to Ballance	.85
Road District N <sup>o</sup> 19	25.00
Total	43.85

Recorded this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April 1864 A Campbell Township Clerk

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Statement of votes given at the Annual Township Meeting in the Township of Groveland County of Oakland, State of Michigan, holden on the fourth day of April A.D. 1864, for the following officers, Viz; A Supervisor, Township Clerk, Justice of the Peace, Treasurer, Commissioner of Highways, School Inspector, and four Constables

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Supervisor was Two Hundred and Eighteen, and they were given for the following persons, Viz: One Hundred Twenty Eight of them for Chester S Wilkins, Ninety of them for Thomas S Bird.

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Township Clerk was Two Hundred and Eighteen and they were given for the following persons, Viz; One Hundred and Twenty five of them for Allen Campbell, Ninety Three of them for George Campbell

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Justice of the Peace was Two Hundred and Eighteen and they were given for the following persons, Viz; - One Hundred and Twenty Seven of them for Horatio Wright, Ninety One of them for Sydney Smith

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Treasurer was Two Hundred and Eighteen and they were given for the following persons, Viz; One Hundred and Twenty Two of them for Dennis Lamb, Ninety Six of them for John Bird

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Commissioner of Highways was Two Hundred and Seventeen, and they were given for the following persons, viz; One Hundred Twenty Six of them for Albert Swift, Ninety One of them for George J Thomas

The whole number of votes given for the said office of School Inspector was Two Hundred and Seventeen and they were given for the following persons, viz; - One Hundred and Twenty of them Lewis H Husted, Ninety Seven of them for Oscar Horton

The whole number of votes given for the said office of Constable was Eight Hundred and Seventy five and they were given for the following persons, viz; - One Hundred and Twenty Two of them for Dennis Lamb, One Hundred and Twenty five of them for William H. Ritchie, One Hundred and Twenty four of them for William Lacy, One Hundred and Twenty three of them for Benjamin T Richmond, Ninety five of them for William Campbell, Ninety five of them for Elstine J Tobey, Ninety Seven of them for John Bird, Ninety four of them for James Algoe

At noon of said day it was voted that the Township Treasurer should receive Two per cent for Collecting the Taxes for the ensuing year.

Also at the same time the following persons were Elected as Overseers of the several Road districts, viz -



Groveland Township records ( cont )

1864

Overseers of Road Districts

N <sup>o</sup> 1	Frederick Wolf	N <sup>o</sup> 17	Albert Swift
2	John B Auton	18	William Lacey
3	Joseph Lepard	19	Thomas J Ewell
4	Henry Quick	20	John Frick Jnr
5	Ransom E Burgess	21	Otis Donpier
6	Alexander Downey Jnr	22	Thomas S Bird
7	John Husted	23	Israel S Bird
8	Oscar C. Horton	24	Sylvanus Buzzard
9	Alexander Downey	25	William Stocker
10	Durfee D Horton	26	Daniel Merritt
11	Benwell Brosius	27	George J Thomas
12	Damon Irish	28	Henry C Phipps
13	William L Narrin	29	Manly Irish
14	Jacob More	30	Peter C Sargent
15	John S. Narrin	31	Charles Mosher
16	Jonas Bowman	32	Peter Kettle
		33	Christian Brannack

We do hereby certify that the above is a correct Statement of the votes given in the Township of Groveland, in the County of Oakland & State of Michigan, at the Annual Township, holden on the fourth day of April A.D. 1864,

Chester S Wilkins ) Inspectors  
Horatio Wright ) of Election  
Allen Campbell ) for Said  
Township

I do hereby certify that I have duly appointed Allen Campbell Jnr as Deputy Township Clerk, and he has qualified according to Law

Dated at Groveland  
April 11<sup>th</sup> 1864

Allen Campbell  
Town Clerk

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Statement of votes given in the Township of Groveland , in the County of Oakland and State of Michigan, at the Special Township Meeting holden on the fifteenth day of August A.D. 1864 for the purpose of voting to determine whether Said Township shall issue bonds for the payment of bounties, and what sum shall be paid as a bounty to each man mustered into the service of the United States and credited on the quota of this Township, on the last call made by the President for men for the Military service of the United States

The whole number of votes given to determine said question of bounties was One Hundred and Twenty Three and they were given as follows Viz: One Hundred and four of them to give a bounty of One Hundred Dollars to each man. Kineteen of them No bounty

We hereby certify that the above is a correct Statement of the votes given in the Township of Groveland, County of Oakland, and State of Michigan at the said Election Holden on the fifteenth



Groveland Township records ( cont )

day of August A.D. 1864

Chester S Wilkins      ) Inspectors of  
William L Narrin      ) Election for  
A.Campbell              ) Said Township

Recorded this fifteenth day of August A.D. 1864

A.Campbell, Township Clerk

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At a Meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Groveland holden at the "ouse of Nelson Wilkins on the 7th day of October A.D. 1864, they did settle and allow the following accounts against the Township, and issued orders upon the Treasurer for the same, as follows, Viz; ---

Order

N <sup>o</sup> 1	John B Auton	14.00
2.	Jerome Austin	23.00
3	Ransom E Burgess	20.00
4	Benwell Brosius	10.00
5	Seth Arnold	14.00
6	Albert Austin	20.00
7	John Brannack	16.00
8	William Frosius	5.00
9	Peter Brosius	5.00
10	Jonas Bowman	5.00
11	Joseph Bird	3.00
12	Edgar C.Bartlett	10.00
13	John Boughtenfellow	5.00
14	Thomas S Bird	20.00
15	Thomas S Bird Jnr	5.00
16	Israel S.Bird	20.00
17	John Buckell	10.00
18	Walter Buckell	5.00
19	John Bird	20.00
20	George Campbell	16.00
21	Charles Buzzard	19.00
22	George Brockenshaw	14.00
23	William Campbell	14.00
24	Allen Campbell Jnr	14.00
25	Allen Campbell Snr	5.00
26	Henry Cogshall	5.00
27	Leander Clark	5.00
28	William M. Case	7.00
29	Isaac Case	18.00
30	Carlton Cornell	2.00
31	Bela Cogshall	20.00
32	Alexander Downtey	5.00
34	Norman F Decker	10.00
35	Otis Donpier	5.00
36	Thomas J Ewell	41.00
37	John Daly	10.00
38	Charles Dixie	2.00
39	Luther Felton	10.00
40	John Frick Jr	20.00
41	George Fall	8.00



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Nº	42	Daniel Fuller	3.00
	43	Hiram Greene	15.00
	44	James Algoe	20.00
	45	William Gotwalt	5.00
	46	Edmund Husted	8.00
	47	Alva Husted	18.00
	48	Henry H Husted	11.00
	49	Lewis H Husted	3.00
	50	Austin B Hathaway	14.00
	51	Charles Henry	1.00
	52	Thomas Husted	14.00
	53	Alfred B Husted	25.00
	54	Charles Halsted	18.00
	55	Henry Harter	14.00
	56	Sydney Hovey	8.00
	57	Alvord I Holmes	5.00
	58	James M. Houghton	14.00
	59	Perry Hunt	10.00
	60	Andrew J Hill	14.00
	61	William Hollister	5.00
	62	Archelaus Hibbler	2.00
	63	Lyman Herrick	11.00
	64	Seth L Herriman	4.00
	65	Isaac Halsted	5.00
	66	David Hadley	20.00
	67	Damon Irish	14.00
	68	Daniel Johnson	20.00
	69	George Irish	10.00
	70	Jesse Jones	5.00
	71	Daniel F Johnson	5.00
	72	Frederic Long	5.00
	73	Alexander Jones	4.00
	74	Joseph Lepard	10.00
	75	Dennis Lamb	11.00
	76	George S Leland	10.00
	77	Barnard Lennan	5.00
	78	William Lacy	5.00
	79	James Lawrence	14.00
	80	Laffayette Mitchell	5.00
	81	Benjamin F Miller	21.00
	82	James W Merwin	4.00
	83	Robert Martin	8.00
	84	Truman More	5.00
	85	Jeremiah Miller	2.00
	86	Emery Moore	21.00
	87	John M Mc Ginnis	10.00
	88	Daniel Merritt	5.00
	89	Jacob Moore	4.00
	90	Samuel Molby	14.00
	91	William Van Steenburgh	7.00
	92	Oscar Mudge	14.00
	93	Sarah Miner	.25
	94	Charles Mosher	20.00
	95	Andrew B Marquette	1.00
	96	Hiram Molby	14.00
	97	Charles M Ginnis	6.00
	98	Michael M Cabe	5.00



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Nº 99	Salem Marsh	3.00
100	John S Narrin	5.00
101	Norman Mills	10.00
102	William L Narrin	10.00
103	William A Narrin	5.00
104	Harvey Phelps	20.00
105	Sarah E Ogden	1.00
106	Joseph Perritt Derbin Ogden	1.00
107	Joseph Perritt	10.00
108	Henry Quick	10.00
109	John Peck	13.00
110	Henry C Phipps	25.00
111	John Ritchie	3.00
112	Benjamin F Richmond	15.00
113	William H Ritchie	5.00
114	Fitch J Richmond	14.00
115	John Ritchie 2 <sup>nd</sup>	14.00
116	Ozias Swift	15.00
117	James E Smith	14.00
118	Lafayett Stranahan	10.00
119	Irving Smith	14.00
120	Sydney Smith	25.25
121	Joel Snyder	7.00
122	Peter C Sargent	2.00
123	Abram C Shepard	3.00
124	Albert Shepard	14.00
125	Seth B Thayer	14.00
126	Elstin J Tobey	14.00
127	George J Thomas	14.00
128	Worthington B Thompson	10.00
129	Stephen Woodruff	5.00
130	Wilhelm Wolf	5.00
131	Charles C Walton	14.00
132	Nelson Wilkins	5.00
133	Chester S Wilkins	29.50
134	Lewis H Husted	2.50
135	Alexander Downey	1.00
136	Nelson Wilkins	20.00

They did also order that the Supervisor shall raise the sum of Two Hundred and Thirty Dollars upon the Taxable property of the Township for the expenses of the current year

Dated October 8<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1864

A.Campbell Township Clerk

I do hereby certify that I have notified the Supervisor to raise the sum of Twenty four Hundred dollars, upon the Taxable property of the Township, according to a vote taken at a special Town Meeting holden on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February last, also Seventy dollars to pay the Interest on the Bonds Issued in accordance with the vote of said Township Meeting, also the sum of Fifty Dollars to pay the Interest to the first of February 1885 on Bonds Issued in Accordance with a vote taken at a Special Township Meeting holden on the fifteenth day of August last. Also the Sum of Two Hundred and Thirty dollars for Township expenses making in all the sum of Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty dollars

Groveland October 9 th A.D. 1864 A. Campbell Township Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Marks In Town of Groveland, 1848

N<sup>o</sup> 49, Allan Campbell, J<sup>rs</sup>s mark

One hole in the Right Ear and a hapenny out of the unser Side  
of the left Ear

Recorded June 5<sup>th</sup> 1848

John Campbell Town Clerk

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N<sup>o</sup> 50, Loyd Worths mark

Swallows Fork in the end of left ear and a notch under the  
same

Recorded September 21<sup>st</sup> 1848 John Campbell , Town Clerk

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N<sup>o</sup> 51, Varnis Maxfields mark

A Slit in the under side of each Ear, near the Head

Recorded Groveland Decr 9 th 1848 John Campbell Town Clerk

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David Irish mark

Two notches in the under Side of Each ear

Recorded July 10<sup>th</sup> 1850,

Chester S Wilkins, Town Clerk

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Ira H Marsh

his mark is a notch under the left ear, and a slit in the  
right ear,

Seth L Herriman mark

A square crop off the Right Ear and a half crop off the uper  
side of the left

Recorded March 20<sup>th</sup> 1854 by

Chester S Wilkins Town Clerk

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Seth L Herriman has adopted the following as his mark from  
this date, viz: a halfpenny out of the upper side of the left ear.  
This mark was formerly used by Thaddeus Herriman

Recorded this 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1866 A.Campbell, Clerk



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Groveland 1836 and 1837 Records of Marks and Brands

Henry W Hortons Mark  
Square Crop off ov the Left ear

Recorded Jan 4th 1836

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Lot Tobeys Mark  
half Crop on the under side off ov the Left ear

Recorded April 15 1836

-----

Constant Southworth Mark  
two half penny out off the under side off the Left ear

Recorded April 30 1836

-----

Johns Hadleys Mark  
one hole out off each ear

Recorded June 24 1836

-----

Alexander Merwin Mark  
a half Crop the under side of the rite ear and a hole in the left ear

Recorded June 24 1836

-----

John Tobeys Mark  
Swallow fork out off the rite ear and recorded --- 31 1836  
----- ( remainder illegible - Holly written over all )

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A H Beachs Mark  
two holes through the right ear

Recorded 17 of April 1837

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William P Husted Mark  
two holes through the Left ear

recorded April 17, 1837



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Peter Fagans Mark

Crop off the right ear and the Left ear Split

Recorded the 17 of April 1837

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Andrew Quicks Mark

hole through the right ear and Crop off the same

recorded the 17 day of April 1837 - copied in the T book Holly

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Solomons' Tobey's Mark

Swallow fork out off the left ear

recorded May 2 1837

-----

Jehiel Gardners Mark

Square Crop off the rite ear and Slit in the same and

recorded August 22 1837

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Thomas Fagan Mark

one hole through the rite Ear

recorded March 11, 1838 Copied in the T book Holly

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Joseph Jennings Mark

Square Crop off the rite ear

recorded Dec 22 1838

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Daniel F Johnsons Mark

half Crop the upper side of the rite ear

recorded May 28 1839

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Laban Jinks Mark

a ha---any under the rite ear and a slit in the Left

recorded May 28<sup>th</sup> 1839

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Derius Thavre Mark

Square Crop off the rite ear and Slit in the Left

recorded June 22 1839



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Alexander Downeys Mark  
A Square Crop of the Left and two Slits in the right ear

Recorded April the 23 1840

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Nathaniel Pecks Mark  
Swallows fork in Each ear

Recorded July 6<sup>th</sup> 1840

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Michael Ayers Mark  
A Semicircle out of the fore part of the upperside of the Left  
ear

Recorded February the 23<sup>rd</sup> 1841

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John Campbells Mark  
one hole in the left Ear

Recorded March the 24<sup>th</sup> 1841

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James Henry's Mark  
A Semicircle out of fore part of the upper side of the right ear

Recorded March 24 1841

-----

John Ritchies Mark  
Square Crop off the Right Ear and two slits in the left

Recorded April the 5<sup>th</sup> 1841

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William D Richmonds Mark  
hapeny under the Right Ear and Swallowes fork in the Same

Recorded April the 5<sup>th</sup> 1841

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William Downers Mark  
Slit in the end of the Right ear and A hapeny under the Same

Recorded April the 5<sup>th</sup> 1841

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Henry R Montgomerys Mark  
Half Crop On the under Side of the right Ear



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Alford Husted Mark  
tow hole ---res and a short ----- ( illegible )

Recorded Febuary the 1 1842

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James Ludington Mark  
a square crop on the Right eare and match in the left eare

Recorded Feb the 16 1842

-----

Avery Worth Mark  
Crop of the left ear Slit in the rite

Recorded June 15<sup>th</sup> 1842

-----

Dewitt C Narrins Mark  
A Slit in the write ear

Recorded July 30<sup>th</sup> 1842

-----

George D Terry Marze  
Square Crop of the rite ear and a slit in the Left

Recorded November 11<sup>th</sup> 1842

-----

W<sup>m</sup> L Narrins Marke  
Left ear Slited and the top part of the Slit cut of

Recorded November 11<sup>th</sup> 1842

-----

Charles Henry Mark  
A Slit in Jack ear

Recorded December 23<sup>th</sup> 1842

-----

Candice C Richmonds Mark  
A Slit in the End of the left Ear haveny under the Same

Recorded May 26 1843

-----

Seth J Wickers Mark  
Half Crop off the underside of left ear and a Slit in the right



Groveland Township records ( cont )

ear

Recorded Oct<sup>r</sup> the 2<sup>nd</sup> 1843

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Peter Ingersole's Mark  
one Slit in the Left Ear

Recorded Feb 29<sup>th</sup> 1844

-----

Matthew Walkers Mark  
two Slits in the left ear and one Slit in the Right Ear  
Recorded October the 3<sup>rd</sup> 1844

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Benjamin Lockwoods Mark  
A Slit in the under Side of the Right Ear  
Recorded November 30<sup>th</sup> 1844

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Thaddeus Herrinans Mark  
A hapeny out of the upper side of the left Ear  
Recorded December the 6<sup>th</sup> 1844

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John Hamiltons Mark  
one Slit in the underside of the left Ear  
Recorded January 1<sup>st</sup> 1844

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John Leacys Mark  
A Square Crop off the Right Ear and A Hapeny under the left  
Recorded April the 30<sup>th</sup> 1845

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William Phelo<sup>s</sup> ( uncertain - might be Bless<sup>s</sup> ) Mark  
A Square Crop off the left Ear and a Hapeny under the left Ear  
Recorded May the 1<sup>st</sup> 1845



Groveland Township records ( cont )

Martin M Fairfields Mark  
one Round hole in the Right Ear

Recorded July the 7<sup>th</sup> 1845

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John M<sup>c</sup> Crackens Mark  
one hole through the Right Ear and two Slits in the left Ear

Recorded March the 20<sup>th</sup> 1846

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Allan Campbells Mark  
A hapeny out of the under side of the right ear

Recorded 9<sup>th</sup> April 1847                    John Campbell Town Clerk

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No 44, Alfred Foxes Mark  
a notch in the under side of the Left ear

Recorded May 27<sup>th</sup> 1847, Groveland, Oak<sup>d</sup> Co.  
John Campbell, T. Clerk

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No 45, Isaac Titsworths Mark

Two notches in the right ear, the one on the upper side and  
the other on lower side, oposite

Recorded June 19<sup>th</sup> 1847, by                John Campbell T.Clerk

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No 46, Truman Husted's Mark  
A Hapeny under each ear

Recorded July 29<sup>th</sup> 1847, By John Campbell T.Clerk

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No 47, James Campbells Mark

A Hapanney out of the upper Side of the Right Ear  
Recorded December the 6<sup>th</sup> 1847 John Campbell Town Clerk

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Charles Seamans Mark

A Swallows fork in each ear and a hapenny out of the upper side  
of the right ear

Recorded April 24<sup>th</sup> 1848, John Campbell, Town Clerk

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Lela Cogshall Mark

A Square Crop off of the left ear and a hapeny under the Right  
ear

Recorded May 5 th 1849                Henry Hunt Dept town Clerk



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